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SUICIDE WAVE SWEEPS COLONY

NINE IN FOUR DAYS

TWO VICTIMS OF LYSOL

THREE FRESH CASES

A suicide epidemic appears to be sweeping through the Colony. Three further incidents reported to-day bring the total to at least nine in the past four days.

Fung Ng Koo, a Eurasian lady, committed suicide at the Luk Kok Hotel at Gloucester Road, Wanchai, by taking Lysol.

She was found in an unconscious condition in her room by an attendant, but medical assistance brought in at that stage was unavailing, and she died shortly after admission to the Government Civil Hospital.

The deceased belonged to a very well-known family in Hongkong, and her tragic death has produced a profound shock amongst relatives and friends.

It is believed that she had been seriously affected by financial losses.

KOWLOON TRAGEDY.

Poisoned by his own hand, Mr. Enrique Gray, a Eurasian resident of Kowloon, was admitted yesterday afternoon to the Kowloon Hospital, where he passed away at 8 p.m. last night.

Police investigators were handed a bottle of Lysol disinfectant when they called at Mr. Gray's residence at No. 4 Chi Wo Street, Yaumati.

Very little appears to be known of the deceased, and the motive remains obscure.

RAZOR HARA-KIRI ATTEMPT.

With a razor, Chan Sang, aged 50, a type setter employed at the *South China Morning Post*, attempted hara-kiri by slashing himself across the stomach at his home at 18 Bridges Street, Taipingshan, at about one o'clock this morning.

So seriously did the man injure himself that there is not much hope for his recovery. He has been admitted to the Government Civil Hospital.

No motive for the attempted suicide has been given, but according to his relatives, Chan Sang has been suffering from an attack of high fever, which they believed to be typhoid.

MONSTER TRIAL OF COMMUNISTS

Alleged High Treason at Breslau

Breslau, May 31.

A monster trial of a hundred and eleven Silesian Communists has been opened here.

The charge is one of high treason and is based on allegations that they were organising armed resistance to Nazi-ism. If convicted they are liable to be beheaded.—*Reuter.*

OFFICER CLASS OF POLICE

PRINCE OPENS NEW COLLEGE

London, May 31.

The Metropilitan Police College, which has been established at Hendon for the training of the officer class of the Police Force, was formally opened this afternoon by the Prince of Wales.

The Prince said the College was a development in which he was greatly interested, as he knew the need for higher training in the Police Force has been exercising the minds of the police authorities and the police themselves for some years past.—*British Wireless.*

PROGRESS OF THE SILVER BILL

Passed By House Of Representatives

Washington, May 31.

The House of Representatives to-day passed the Silver Bill, establishing the principle of the 25:75 ratio with gold, but giving the President discretionary powers for applicaton of the policy.—*Reuter.*

DAILY EXPRESS "SPY"

EXPULSION ORDER BY NAZIS

MR. PEMBROKE STEVENS

Berlin, June 1.

Mr. Pembroke Stevens, the Berlin correspondent of the *Daily Express*, was arrested to-day and served in confinement with an expulsion order.

He is required to leave the country within twenty-four hours.

It is stated that he is being expelled on account of "the irresponsible and misleading manner with which he has continually reported upon German affairs."

It would seem, however, that there is not a little connection between the arbitrary action of the Nazis and the recent incident at Aken, near Dessau, when he was arrested for prying into certain proceedings in a wood that attracted his attentions.

There seems to be a suggestion by the police that Mr. Pembroke-Stevens was taking photographs, but this he emphatically denies.

According to early reports of the affairs, it occurred in the evening when photography would have been impossible. The journalist's attention was attracted by are lights in a wood and it was when his curiosity led him to investigate that he was arrested.—*Reuter.*

FLIGHT RECORD ACHIEVEMENT

AIRMAN AWARDED GRAND PRIX

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Paris, May 31.

The Grand Prix for 1933 of the Academie des Sports, amounting to Fr. 25,000, has been awarded to the French airmen, Codos and Rossi, who flew from Paris to New York earlier this week.

The award was made in recognition of their record nonstop long-distance flight of 5,653 miles from New York to Rayak, Syria, in August last year.—*Reuter Special.*

JAPAN'S POLICY IN CHINA

MR. ARIYOSHI CALLS A CONFERENCE

Shanghai, June 1.

A conference suddenly summoned by Mr. Ariyoshi, Japanese Minister to China, at his residence late last night is causing speculation. It is believed that he read new instructions from the Japanese Foreign Office at the conference.—*Central News.*

DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE ON THE VERGE OF COMPLETE COLLAPSE

TO-DAY TO BE DECISIVE

NEUTRALS TO BID FOR COMPROMISE

ANGLO-FRENCH CLEAVAGE

Geneva, June 1.

Excitement following the clash between Sir John Simon and M. Barthou, seeming to destroy all prospect of Anglo-French harmony, has not subsided.

To-day will probably be decisive as regards the life of the Disarmament Conference.

The wildest uncertainty prevails, though it is generally believed that an adjournment is the only practical solution of the crisis.

As an heroic effort to bridge the wide gap in the British and French attitudes, both the Spanish and Swedish delegates will advocate, with modifications, the acceptance of the so-called "Neutrals' Memorandum."

IMMEDIATE MEASURES.

This proposes, among other things, immediate measures to prevent the aggravation of the existing situation and the unconditional prohibition of aerial bombardment, together with a substantial amount of disarmament, involving moderate but practical realisation of the principle of equality of rights.

In an exclusive interview with Reuter yesterday evening, Mr. Arthur Henderson, President of the Conference, admitted that the situation has never been more critical in the two and a half years since the Conference began.

WELL-NIGH HOPELESS.

"Unless there is a speedy transformation, it must become hopeless."

The situation is such that the delegations are all showing extreme reserve in regard to declaring their position.

The discussions may end at the next sitting of the General Commissions, which is meeting this afternoon.—*Reuter.*

SCHOOL CHILDREN INJURED

Mad Rush Caused By Excitement

Chicago, May 31.

Twenty-five were injured when a school holiday party of about a thousand children visiting the Century of Progress Exhibition made a mad rush for the turnstiles.—*Reuter.*

NEW INDIAN LOAN

3½ PER CENT. ISSUE PENDING

London, May 31.

It is announced that subscriptions for the issue of a Government of India rupee 3½ per cent. loan, 1947/50, will be received from June 5, next. Subscriptions may be in the form of cash, in addition to Indian Treasury bills, 4½ per cent. bonds 1934, and 4 per cent. loan 1934/37.

The loan will be closed without notice as soon as it appears that the total subscriptions amount to 32 crores of rupees, nominal value, and in any case not later than June 20.—*British Wireless.*

Warring tribesmen riding Arabia's deserts—although the "romance" has been taken out of the process by Ibn Saud's further employment of tanks and armoured cars.

DESERT WAR RENEWAL FEARS OVER

DERBY FAVOURITE

TRAINER SUPREMELY CONFIDENT

London, June 1.

Will Colombo live up to his wonderful reputation? is the question on the lips of every race-goer as Derby Day approaches.

His Two Thousand Guineas form is still worrying some of the experts, though few care to make any suggestions as to the horse that may be capable of beating him over any distance.

His connexions are supremely confident.

It seems that Lo Zingaro's chances are now considered negligible by his stable, as Gordon Richards and Steve Donoghue are now choosing between Easton and Medieval Knight.

TEST GALLOP.

It is understood that Mr. F. Darling, the trainer of these three, is galloping Easton and Medieval Knight to-morrow to decide which Gordon Richards will ride in the Derby. Donoghue will be up on the other.

Colombo, according to his trainer, Mr. Hogg, is wonderfully fit. The hardness of the ground is not troubling the trainer, who says: "What suits other horses will suit Colombo."—*Reuter.*

DOUBLE TRACKING SPEED-UP

SOVIET ACTIVITY ON RAILWAYS

Tientsin, June 1.

A Harbin message says redoubled efforts are being made by the Soviet authorities to complete the double-tracking of both the Ussuri and Amur Railways.

Thousands of political prisoners have been impressed for the work. About thirty kilometres of railtrack is now being completed daily, and if this rate is maintained, double-tracking of the whole line will soon be completed.—*Central News.*

NEW CAPITAL ISSUES

London, May 31.

According to statistics compiled by the Midland Bank, new capital issues for the month of May amounted to £22,441,000 as compared with £14,614,014 for May, 1933.—*British Wireless.*

Yung Him-chung, of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, died intestate on May 25, 1932, leaving local estate of $36,400, letters of administration to which have been granted to Tong Chan-chi, widow, of 350, Reclamation Street, Kowloon.

IMAN OF YEMEN ACCEPTS

SECOND THOUGHTS BETTER

CARRYING OUT TERMS

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Cairo, June 1.

The danger of a renewal of war between Ibn Saud and the Imam of Yemen, which could have only resulted in the complete overrunning of the Imam's territory and possible complete dispossession, is believed to have passed.

The Iman of Yemen has thought better of his inclination towards further challenge.

There is great rejoicing in the Saudi country in Arabia following the sudden change in attitude of the Imam and the start that he has made towards carrying out Ibn Saud's peace conditions, according to reports from Taif.

CROWN PRINCE'S THREAT.

It is reported from Sanaa, in Yemen territory, that the Crown Prince has abandoned his opposition to his father. It may be recalled that he threatened to dethrone his father if he signed an "ignominious peace."

The agreement now within reach of conclusion is for the Imam to utilise Hodeida for the Yemen trade and to pay tolls to Ibn Saud.—*Reuter Special.*

AMATEUR PHOTO CONTEST

OUTPORT RESIDENTS ELIGIBLE.

The "Telegraph" Amateur Photo Competition opens to-day. Valuable cash and camera prizes are being offered.

In response to an inquiry from an outport reader, we desire to state that, as in former years, the Competition is open to residents of Canton, Macao and other South China ports, as well as Hongkong.

NAVAL SENSATION

U.S. ABANDONING BASE IN MANILA

London, June 1.

It is hinted that the United States may shortly abandon its naval bases in the Philippine Islands.

The report comes from America and declares that the United States intends to withdraw her Squadron from Manila, although she is entitled under the Philippine Independence Act to maintain a naval base there.

The report is referred to by the *Morning Post's* diplomatic correspondent, who says it is understood that the move must be regarded as strategical, the Squadron being too weak to defend itself against possible enemy forces that would be available before the arrival of help.

The closing down of the base will possibly facilitate an American-Japanese Agreement, but it leaves other questions, such as Singapore and Hongkong unanswered.

There is, however, no reason to suppose that an agreement with Britain will not be reached in these matters.—*Reuter.*

NEW SWIMMING PRODIGY

HALF A MILE IN TWELVE MINUTES

Thirteen year old Bob Biddulph, of Sydney, promises to be a world champion. He has just covered half a mile in twelve minutes two seconds, says Austral News.

It is predicted that Biddulph will gain Olympic honours and rise to greater heights than even Boy Charlton. He is in his second year at the Sydney High School.

CUBAN TREATY RATIFIED

Washington, May 31.

The senate has ratified the new Treaty with Cuba, which renounces America's right of intervention.—*Reuter.*

S.W.B. PRIVATE STILL HELD

CHARGE OR RELEASE EXPECTED IN COURSE OF THIS AFTERNOON

It was officially stated at police headquarters this morning that the private of the South Wales Borderers who was taken into custody in connection with the investigation of the murder of Mohamed Din, an Indian police guard, is still detained.

The "sensational" development of the affair is, however, likely to result in anti-climax.

No charge has yet been made against the man in custody and unless investigations produce evidence justifying a charge this afternoon he will be released.

He has already been in custody for more than thirty-six hours.

A charge must be made before six p.m. this evening—or he must be released.

803 FOR FOUR

KENT'S HUGE TOTAL

ASHDOWN, 333

London, May 31.

Kent were able to declare in their first innings against Essex at Brentwood to-day, with a fair degree of confidence that their total would not be overtaken.

They scored 803 runs for 4 wickets!

This is the highest total reached in an English county match since 1899, when Surrey hit up 811 against Somerset. On that occasion, however, Surrey were all out. In 1896, Yorkshire made 887 all out at Edgbaston.

Kent's total is the highest on record for four wickets.

Chief scorers Ashdown and Ames.

Ashdown scored 333, the highest of his career Ames had 202 not out when the closure was applied.

Exceptionally high scores were made in other matches. Surrey declared against the Australians with 475 for 7. The Australians replied with 406 for 3.

Ernest Tyldesley completed a double century, compiling 239 against Glamorgan at Cardiff, Lancashire declaring at 514 for 7.—*British Wireless.*

CANTON FORGERY SCANDAL

OFFICIALS INVOLVED BY ALLEGATIONS

Canton, June 1.

Another big scandal threatens here following a raid carried out on Tuesday at the New Bund, where a big organisation is alleged to have engaged in forging Government documents, title deeds, security notes and even official seals.

Five persons were arrested on the premises on Tuesday and the Canton police made three more arrests last night at another place. It is stated that these are staff members of a certain department of the Canton Municipal Government suspected of connection with the illegal organisation.

According to high official in Canton, the affair has wide ramifications and may possibly involve officials in the Canton Municipal Government.

It is feared that investigation will reveal many cases of duplication of title deeds registered with the Land Department. It is also believed that properties in Canton have "changed ownership" by means of forged title deeds without the knowledge of genuine owners.—*Central News.*

MIKADO'S THANKS

London, May 31.

The Emperor of Japan, in a telegram to the King, expresses appreciation for the message in which His Majesty conveyed his profound regret at the death of Admiral Togo.—*British Wireless.*

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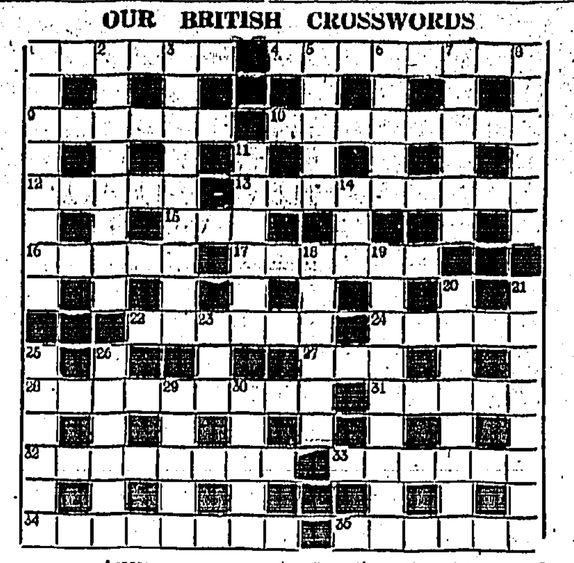

Across

1 The sailor starts to recant, and then.
4 the fellow goes on to curse us in a High Court writ.
9 Tithes paid by Scots.
10 Smallest details.
12 To stop an obstacle when the rent is added.
13 If one may trust one's ears this noisy fellow has swallowed a shell-fish.
15 One returned as suitable for renomination.
16 Terra——
17 Fiction character of proverbial duplicity.
22 In this, for example, you get a position.
24 This may be considered before 3, or it may be a round one.
27 A typical Easterner—sometimes dressed in printed cotton.
28 Get abroad in a devious way, for it may be done away with, and
31 this clue is the same, as they say abroad, to put an end to it.
32 Falls that overwhelm the scoundrel amid the boxes.
33 The first person in Paris before June will find it lacking in interest.
34 As newspaper men they are bound to have push.
35 Quite evidently it is no sign of disagreement to give it in the manner transmitted.

Down

1 An "Act of Faith" ceremonial of the Spanish Inquisition (hyphens).
2 Something for dinner on the bank of the river as a marriage settlement.
3 Be starred (anag.).
5 You may plead that you weren't there, but 27 couldn't.
6 "——thou the stars are fire; . . . But never——I love. ("Hamlet.")
7 A French master.
8 Is turned by mistake in a mountain range.
11 Proverbially a good worker for the car.
14 This is above your heads.
18 Works under pressure to the sound of our requirements.
19 Run slides (anag.).
20 It is rather difficult to understand, but the sea burst in here.
21 Not in the least polite in Southampton waters.
23 Exemplified in this puzzle with 29.
25 Sounds suitable headgear for the devil-may-care.
26 French resort reminiscent of sweet odours.
29 Puts an end to urgent messages.
30 The ones here are endless theories, obviously.

Yesterday's Solution

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■	O	■	O	■	O	■	A	■	G	■	Z	E	R	O
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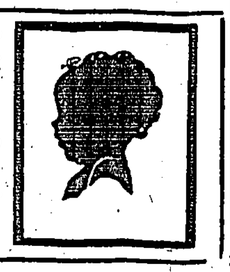

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THE WORLD OF WOMEN

YOUR CHILDREN.

Don't Make Child An Experiment

By Olive Roberts Barton.

The air to-day is a chorus of big words as hard to understand as the "Sextet" from Lucia, with everybody singing different lines at once. And in another language.

Little wonder, then, that women begin to shrink from having children, those Chinese puzzles that operate with "conditioning," "impulses," "complexes," "inhibitions," "conflicts" and fixations." Less wonder still, a baby once produced, his parents spend sleepless nights figuring what to do with this Frankenstein who is sure to run amuck unless they study psychology and practice it—which looks to them like tackling all the ancient language on the Rosetta stone.

Truths From Psychology

Psychology is an interesting study, particularly the New Psychology, but in the abstract it is of no great use to the average man or woman, because it is involved and easily misunderstood, and offers many problems that even the greatest scientists have not mastered. Abstract psychology in itself is of no tremendous use in every day life.

However, fortunately, we have a certain solution in the fact that behaviourists have sifted its simpler and more practical truths, applied them to children and have turned out something of decided help.

I not only suggest that every mother possess, if possible, a good book on child problems, but urge it. It makes fascinating reading and she is bound to pick up many points that will be of help. What I warn against is that no book on earth will take the place of gentle home life, love, and a normal existence for the child.

To make him an experiment, a microbe on a plate, a problem in angles, or a curious fish, is just about the worst thing in the world except one. To let him know it.

Mothers have been good mothers since the world began. They did it without books or charts. And the home went on. We must never forget that inalienable instinct of the sensible mother to do the right thing at the right time, and for the most part mothers have been pretty sensible.

Taking Sensible Attitude

If parents are not naturally sensible all the phychology on earth won't help them with their children. It will only be one more weapon for misuse. It takes sense to back the simpler truths of character science just as it took sense to use the best in tradition. In other words, a little knowledge is a dangerous thing and half-baked knowledge still worse.

All parents make mistakes. They make them mostly by thinking of a child as an adult.

By enlarging their own horizon they will learn that all mental and character processes must grow, and in the growing manifest themselves in various and sometimes unfortunate ways—to our way of thinking. They will be more interested and understanding. Child training is not a fad. It is more than a hobby.

Let not big words discourage you. These are few in number and simple in meaning. The involved processes of the mind can never hope to be thoroughly understood by the laymen—it takes years to turn out a specialist and still the mind retains many of its secrets. But a general idea of the dangers of certain childhood experiences is a splendid equipment for all parents.

A becoming frock for mature figures is the model illustrated here. It can be made in pique or cotton print as well as percale. The designs may be had in nine sizes: 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50 and 52. Size 46 requires 4 1-2 yards of 35 inch material, or 4 yards without the yoke.

DELICIOUS DESSERTS

Can Be Made With Eggs

When meat is off the menu desserts made with eggs are most acceptable. Such desserts are high in food value and contribute protein to a marked degree. It is only when the dinner is light in food value that a pudding rich in milk and eggs is suitable.

Custard pie is a universal favourite, but baked custards are rather more desirable when there are small children in the family. The same variety in flavour can be achieved in the baked custard as in the custard pie.

A perfectly made caramel custard is one of the most delicious desserts in the cook's repertoire and in a season when eggs are cheap she certainly is justified in serving it often.

Caramel Custard

Two cups milk, 3 eggs, 3-4 cup sugar, 1-4 teaspoon salt, 1-4 teaspoon vanilla.

Scald milk. Melt sugar in an iron frying pan until a light brown syrup. Stir sugar constantly while melting. Pour about half the caramel into the pudding mold, turning mold rapidly to coat entire surface. Add scalded milk to remaining caramel and cook and stir until melted. Remove at once from the fire and gradually add to eggs slightly beaten. Add salt and vanilla and pour into prepared mold.

Place mold in a pan of hot water and bake in a moderate oven. Be sure that the water does not boil during the baking. Test by inserting the point of a silver knife in the centre of the custard. If the knife comes out clean the custard is done. It takes about 50 minutes to bake a large custard. Individual custards will bake in 30 minutes.

When the custard is cold unmold onto a chilled serving dish. The caramel will run down over the mold and form a sauce around it.

Floating Island

This is another excellent dessert that is nourishing and delicious.

Two cups scalded milk, 3 eggs, 2-3 cup granulated sugar, 1-4 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Beat yolks of eggs slightly with half the sugar and half the salt. Stir constantly while adding scalded milk. Cook over boiling water, stirring until mixture coats the spoon. Remove at once from heat and strain if not perfectly smooth. Chill and beat in half the vanilla. Beat whites of eggs with 1 tablespoon cold water and remaining salt until stiff. Fold in remaining sugar, 2 tablespoonfuls at a time. Flavour with vanila and drop from tip of spoon over the "boiled' custard which has been poured into a chilled serving dish. Serve very cold.

The custard can be served in individual glasses with an "island" of the egg whites topping each glass. A cube of jelly or a cherry dropped in the centre of each island makes an inviting garnish.

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Extracts From the "Telegraph" Files

The following extracts are from the Hongkong *Telegraph* for the week ended May 31st., 1913.

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The rate of the dollar on demand was 1.11.15/16d.

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Major General F. H. Kelly was appointed G. O. C. of the China Command.

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The annual report of Messrs. A. S. Watson and Co., Ltd., showed net profits totalling $83,590. A dividend of six per cent. was recommended.

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In the Interport Rifle Shoot, Shanghai scored 952, Singapore 931 and Hongkong 893.

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It was announced that the Government were making a grant of $45,000 to the Hongkong Tramway Co. as compensation for loss suffered by the boycott of tramcars consequent on the Company's decision to accept only legal currency of the Colony in payment of fares.

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The name of Dr. A.L.E.F. Coleman was added to the list of medical practitioners.

MARRIED FLIRTS

(Continued from Page 3.)

put silver and china away in cupboards, folded the cloth. Without a word she left him, scrubbed, brushed and bathed meticulously. She told herself her heart was quite, quite dead. And she had been feeling so soft, so utterly dependent on Tom just before. She had thought, as that dreadful trolley car ploughed homeward, she would tell Tom all about her work in Marko's library and how she had managed to buy the Christmas watch. She had decided that there should be no secrets between them. It made her so unhappy not to share everything, good and bad, with him.

Now everything was changed—everything, she told herself passionately. Tom had betrayed her trust. He had not only forgotten her completely, he had lost money that belonged to them both. She had worked for it, as well as he. There was simply no justice in it. Deliberately she closed her eyes to his possible motives. The facts were these: he had been drinking and gambling all day, while she had been pulling her weight in the boat.

Nothing, said Gypsy, would ever be the same again. Tom slept on the daybed that night. She locked her door against him.

(To Be Continued.)

Keeping Well In The Heat.

The only sure way to keep well is to make certain of the regular daily elimination of waste matter from the system for it is in the congested food tract that the germs of disease flourish.

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Married Flirts

by MABEL McELLIOTT

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

GYPSY MORELL and TOM WEAVER are married the same day as LILA HOTALING and live in luxury, while Gypsy intends to go on with her job, teaching in a settlement school.

After returning from her honeymoon in Europe Lila invites the Weavers to dinner. Among the guests is wealthy MARKO BROUGHTON, who once asked Gypsy to marry him. He showers her with attentions which she accepts because she is jealous of Tom's interest in HILDA BLANCHARD. After the party Tom and Gypsy quarrel, but peace is later restored.

Shopping for Christmas, Gypsy meets Broughton who offers her a job cataloguing his library and gives her an advance payment of $50. She uses the money to buy Tom's Christmas present, a watch.

Tom and Gypsy spend Christmas at the Morell home. Throughout the gaiety Gypsy is troubled by the fact that Tom does not know about her work for Broughton and that if he knew he would be sure to disapprove.

CHAPTER XIV

Mrs. Weaver was expected, Mr. Broughton's man-servant said, quietly. There was something about his matter-of-factness that calmed Gypsy's nerves. Of course it was all right! Why shouldn't she work for Marko? He knew she had dabbled in library work before she had gone into the Settlement.

What she had expected, exactly, in the way of a reception, she could not say. Only this quiet, high-celled room, with its dark Bokhara rugs, its wood panelling, its shelf on shelf of volumes, was distinctly reassuring. She gave the man her hat and coat and gloves. She ran her hand over her unruly curls. Gypsy looked rather like a little girl to-day in her dark green jersey frock with its demure white collar. Then she forgot herself, her surroundings, her nervousness, in the serious business of her task.

It was fascinating — Marko's books themselves were that! She lost herself in the absorbing work. She climbed the ladder a dozen times. She sat at the typewriter the man had disclosed, cleverly hidden in one corner of the mammoth walnut desk. She listed and rubbed out and listed again.

And the light waned, the lamps were snapped on by an unseen hand, and still Gypsy worked unnoticing.

She was aroused by a footfall on the deep rugs. Looking up, startled at the interruption, she saw Marko.

"My dear child!" His gentle tone betokened surprise, and Gypsy flushed.

"I quite forgot the time," Gypsy stammered, her eyes on the crystal clock face nearby. It was half past five! And she had meant to leave at five at the very latest. She had said something casual to Tom about shopping. But she had meant to be home early enough to get dinner. Dinah was "off" tonight. Now she would be too late.

"Ah, you mustn't run away like this," Marko protested, mildly. "Bates will shake us up a cocktail . . . or you may have ten, if you'd prefer."

Gypsy's one thought was to rush away, to get back to the apartment. Yet she didn't want to offend Marko. She said something vague about a dinner engagement.

"Oh, quite, quite," drawled Marko. "Another time, perhaps."

He wasn't in the least the satyr type, Gypsy reflected, pulling on her little hat. He was just kind, friendly, generous. She would have to have an understanding with him about the $50 though. They would have to come to some entirely businesslike arrangement.

But when she spoke of this, Marko waved it aside. "Nonsense," he boomed. "That was merely a retainer. If you do the work as well as I know you will, that amount will only be a drop in the bucket."

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He saw her to the door, pressing her hand gently. She was a treat to any one's eyes, he told her fulsomely. She quite lightened up his lonely home. But then everybody knew Marko's gallantries. They were just the casual coin of every day. He was like that to everyone!

Gypsy rode down in the elevator with the sense of being released. She must rush home to Tom now, inventing an excuse for her late return.

She took a trolley bound southward and it seemed fairly to crawl, stopping at every corner, starting again with painful jerks. Gypsy's nerves were taut. At last she alighted at her own corner and turned east. A sharp wind was blowing up from the river and she shivered, buffeting it with her slim figure. She tried vainly to determine whether or not her own apartment windows were lighted but in the darkness she could not be sure. She was conscious now of an intense fatigue, sharpened by her growing sense of nervousness.

Reluctantly she inserted her key in the lock. Was Tom home? And if so, what was she going to say to him?

But the door swung into a darkened room. Gypsy drew a long breath of relief. Doubtless he'd been kept at the office. There was a good deal of extra work now, making up contracts for the new year. But if that was the case, he'd probably been trying to telephone her all afternoon to let her know.

She switched on the alabaster lamp on the drop-leaf table and stood, irresolute, for a moment. What to do now? Should she wait and see what Tom's plans for the evening were: or should she telephone the grocer at once and order things for a late dinner? She decided on the latter course and, with a kind of wild reaction after her needless fears of awkward explanations, rushed out, setting the table, making everything gay and fresh against his return.

The clock struck seven. The grocer's boy, bearing chops and vegetables and materials for salad, had come and gone. Now it was half past seven. It was eight. And still no Tom. Gypsy's mood of exultant relief waned—changed to indignation, to apprehension. It was utterly unlike him not to telephone her. Something must have happened—something dreadful. She could see him lying somewhere, the victim of a reckless driver. Her Tom, hurt, dying, perhaps!

She put the food back in the icebox. She had thought she was hungry, but now the very thought of food sickened her. She went to the telephone and with trembling fingers dialed the number of his office. As she had expected, there was no answer. Of course, no one was working at this hour.

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The moments lagged by. Nine o'clock. Half past. Ten. At five minutes past ten when Gypsy, almost ill with worry, paced the floor of the living room, Tom's key was inserted and the door swung wide.

Gypsy ran to greet him. "Darling, wherever have you been? I've been so worried . . ."

She stopped. Tom looked so strange. He strode past her. His eyes were glazed. He was pale. Her heart plunged, her throat thickened. Had he heard, then? Did he know about her pact with Marko?

She was stricken into silence. What an utter fool she had been, not to tell him at the start. Nothing more innocent than her afternoon's adventure could possibly be imagined.

But Tom's first words dispelled at least a little of her fears.

"Sorry, dearest," he said dully, and then stopped. Gypsy stared at him curiously. How strange his voice was, and how odd he looked! His overcoat was soiled, too. It looked as if it had been in contact with the pavement.

"Were you hurt, darling?" she prompted. "I've been simply frantic. I was just on the point of calling the hospitals . . ."

He said, in that unfamiliar, dragging voice, that he wasn't hurt—what gave her the idea?—but he'd been detained.

"Unavoidably detained," said Tom with dignity.

Struck by a new, stabbing suspicion, Gypsy gazed at him. Was he—no, he couldn't be drunk! Tom never drank to excess.

"We went to Simms' Club," he said slowly. "We were playing cards. We got to talking. 'Fraid I didn't notice the time."

"And all the time I was worrying, eating my heart out, frightened to death," Gypsy said with indignation. "Oh, Tom, how could you?"

She was wounded past bearing. This was an unfamiliar person who sat there in her pleasant living room. She just didn't know him. Forgotten was her relief a few hours before, on discovering she had reached home before him. All other emotions were swallowed up in a desperate fury at his callous indifference to her feelings. And poker! Tom knew he couldn't afford to play cards with Simms and his crowd. He had virtually promised to give it up, long before their marriage.

"You lost!" she accused with icy calm. "Oh, Tom, you lost, didn't you?

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He nodded, dully, his eyes on his linked fingers. Of course he had lost. He felt a slow, dull sort of indignation at her for having guessed. Why else should he have stayed so late, except that he hoped to win back what had gone before?

Gypsy sat down on one end of the daybed. She felt sick. She felt beaten. To try so hard to get ahead, to work and plan and save so anxiously, and then to have Tom behave like this—it was past bearing!

She shook her head, dumb with the injustice of it. Tom looked at her with a gray face. If he hadn't let Simms fill his glass so often, he'd explain to Gypsy now, tell her just why it was he wanted that extra money. It was for her—for her alone!

But Gypsy's face was cold, still, closed to him. Without a word, she stripped the gaily laid table,

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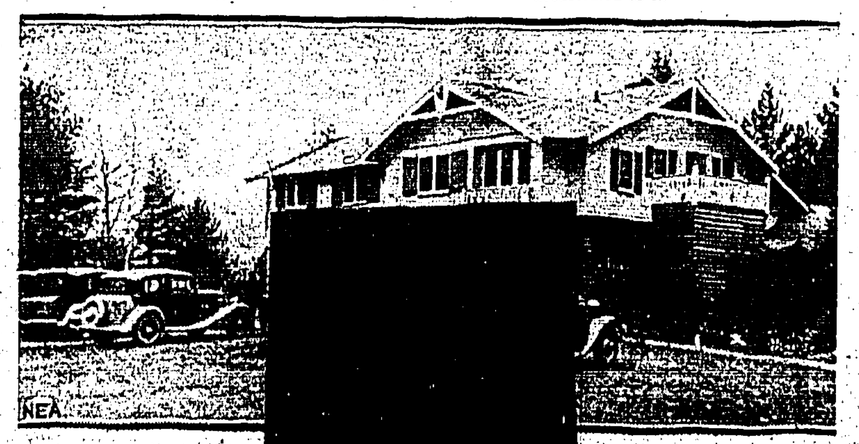

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, 1st day of JUNE, to MONDAY, the 11th day of JUNE 1934, both days inclusive.

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The Directors' report and statement of accounts for the year ended April 30, 1934, is as follows:

The net profit for the twelve months, after deducting directors' fees and general managers' remuneration, and making provision for depreciation amounts to $41,260.09. The balance brought forward from last account amounts to $12,465.03; making available for appropriation $53,725.12.

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Mr. R. Gordon and Mr. H. Kadoorie resigned from the Board during the year and Mr. A. B. Stewart and Mr. L. Kadoorie were invited to fill the vacancies.

In accordance with Rule 95 (a) of the Articles of Association, the present members, Sir Robert Ho Tung, Mr. J. Scott Harston, Hon. Mr. C. Gordon Mackie, Mr. A. B. Stewart and Mr. L. Kadoorie retire, but being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.

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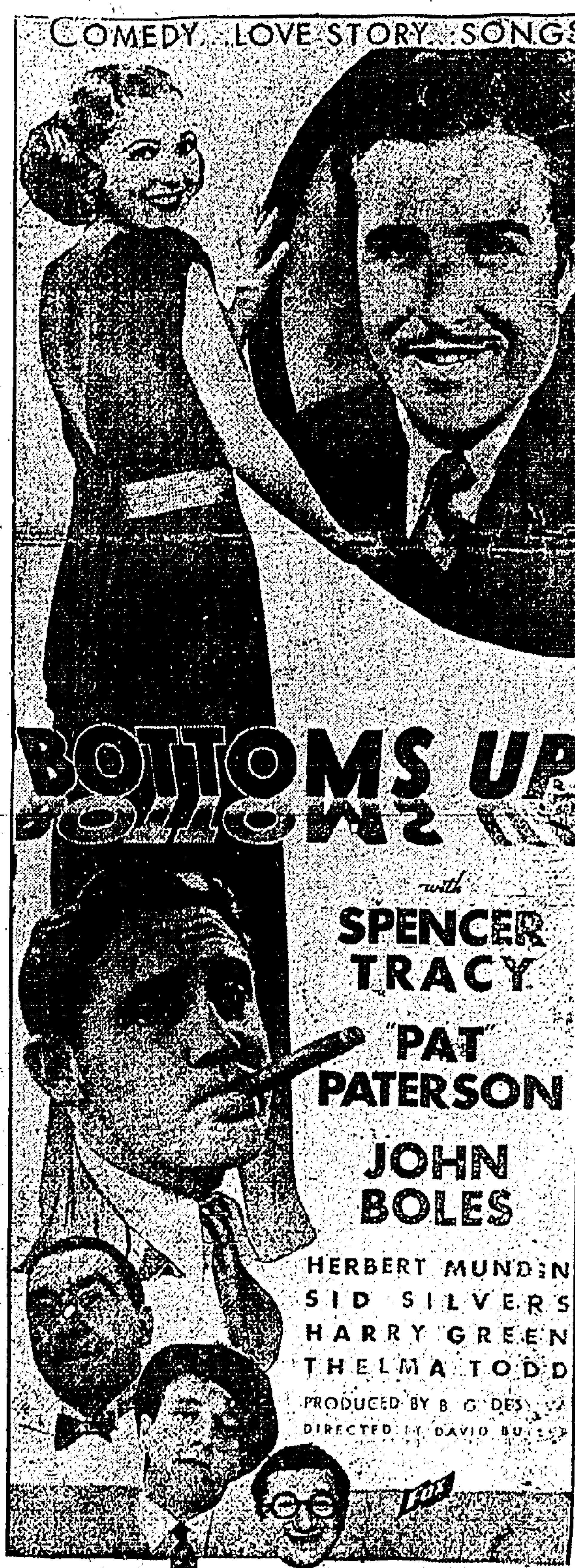

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SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day.

Banks.
H.K. Banks, $1867½ n.
H.K. Bank (London), £131 n.
Chartered Bank, £16⅛ n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. £28 n.
Mercantile Bank C., £15 n.
East Asia Bank, $93 s.
Am: O. Finance Corp., Sh. $20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. $4 n.
China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. $5 n.

Insurances.
Canton Ins., $300 n.
Union Ins., $582½ n.
China Underwriters, $1¼ n.
China Fire, $510 n.
H.K. Fire In., $250 n.
International Assce, $6 n.

Shipping
Douglas, $41 sa.
H.K. Steamboats, $9 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Pref.), $30 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Def.), $88 n.
Shells (Bearer), 49/4½ n.
Union Waterboats, $11.10 n.

Mining
Antamoks, 69 cts b.
Balatocs, $33½ n.
Baguio Gold, 33 cts b.
Benguets, $32¼ n.
Benguet Exploration, 18 cts. n.
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.
Big Wedge, 12cts n.
Gold Creek $3½ n.
Gold River, 29 cts. n.
Ipo Mining, $4 n.
Itogons, $7 n.
Kailan, 21/3 n.
Langkats (Single), $18½ n.
S'hai Explorations, Sh. $4.80 n.
S'hai Loans. $5¾ n.
Raubs, $15½ n.
Venz: Goldfield, $7 n.

Docks, etc.
H.K. Wharves, $104 ¾ b.
H.K. Docks, $15 n.
S. China Motors A., $2 n.
S. China Motors B., $8 n.
Providents (old), $1.85 b.
Providents (new), 75 cts. n.
Hongkews, Sh. $350 n.
New Engineerings, Sh. $5.20 n.
Shanghai Docks, $133 n.

Cotton Mills.
Ewo Cottons, Sh. $11 b.
S'hai Cottons, (old), Sh. $75 n.
S'hai Cottons (new), Sh. $43 n.
Zoong Sings, Sh. $18½ n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. $55 n.

Lands, Hotels etc.
H. and S. Hotels, $6 n.
H.K. Lands, $60¾ n.
S'hai Lands, Sh. $25 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. $14 n.
Humphreys, $11.20 n.
H.K. Realties, $5.15 b.
Asia Realties "A" Sh. $140 n.
Asia Realties "B" Sh. $20 n.
Chinese Estates, $80 n.
China Realties, Sh. $15½ n.
China Debenture, Sh.$187 n.

Public Utilities.
Tramway, $21¼ b.
Peak Trams (new), $7¾ n.
Peak Trams (new), $7¾ n.
Star Ferries (old), $100 n.
Yaumati Ferries, $22½ n.
C. Lights (old), $8.80 b.
C. Lights (new), $8¾ n.
H.K. Electrics, $73/73.15 sa.
Macao Electrics, $25 b.
Sandakan Lights, $8 n.
Telephones (old), $25¼ sa.
Telephones (new), $12.60 n.
China Buses, Sh. $13.20 n.
Singapore Tractions, 5/- n.
Singapore Pref., 16/10½ n.

Industrials.
Malabon Sugars, $12 n.
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. $21 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), $19¼ n.
Canton Ices, $2.70 n.
Cements (new), $2.60 s.
H.K. Ropes, $5½ s.

Stores, etc
Dairy Farms, $26½ n.
Watsons, $6¼ n.
Dor A Wings, $1 n.
Lane Crawfords, $4.30 b.
Mackintoshs, $21 n.
Sinceres, $9½ n.
Wm. Powells, 80 cts. s.
Wing On (H.K.), $120 n.

Miscellaneous.
Amusements, $4 n.
H.K. Entainments, $7½ n.
S.C. Enterprises, $1⅓ n.
United Theatres, Sh. $2 n.
Macao "Greyhounds," $2 n.
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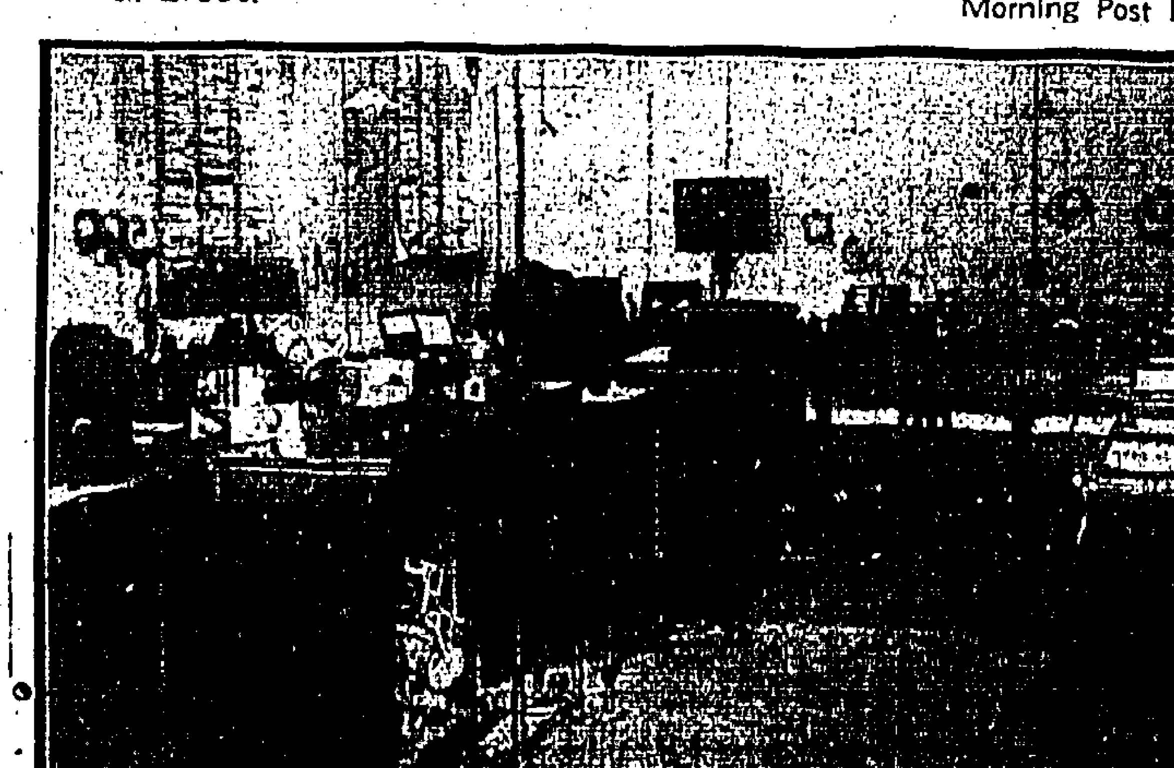

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Chinese Bonds.

	May 30.	May 31.
4½% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.)	£101	£101
4½% Loan 1908	£ 92	£ 92
5% Loan 1912	£ 70	£ 70
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 92½	£ 92½
5% Bonds 1925-47	£ 88½	£ 88½
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	£ 68	£ 68
5% Tient.-Pukow Rly.	£ 36	£ 36
5% Tient.-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)	£ 26½	£ 26½
5% S'hai-H'chow-Ningpo Rly.	£ 90	£ 90
5% Honan Rly.	£ 28	£ 28
5% Hukuang Rly. 1911	£ 39½	£ 39½
5% Lung Tsing U. Hai Rly. 1913	£ 15½	£ 15½

Foreign Bonds and Banks.

German 7% Int. Loan 1924	74½	69½
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	£ 74	£ 74¾
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 87	£ 87½
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General Electric (England)	40/9	40/6
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Impl. Chem Ind. Def. 10/- sh.	8/10½	8/10½
Impl. Tobacco	125/9	125/4½
Woolworths	98/-	98/-
Internat. Nickel no par val	$ 26	$ 25½
Pinchin Johnson 10/- sh.	37/9	37/6
Turner and Newall	46/-	46/6
Unilever	24/-	23/9

Miscellaneous

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Burma Corpn. Rs. 10	13/3	13/3
Canadian Pacific Rly. $25 sh.	$ 15½	$ 15⅝
Chartd. 15/- sh. (Bearer)	24/4½	24/4½
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	23/3	23/1½
Trepca Mines	12/10½	12/10½
Langlaagte Estates	36/-	36/-
London Tin 10/- sh.	14/3	13/6
Pekin Synd 2/- ord. sh.	3/-	3/-
Rubber Trusts	31/6	32/3
S'hai Elec. Constr.	53/-	53/-
Van Ryn Deep	65/-	65/7½
Elec. Musical Industries	32/-	31/3

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Burma Oil	104/4½	104/4½
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Shell Trans. and Trad. (Bearer)	48/9	49/4½
Geldenhuis	31/10½	31/10½
Crown Mines	247/6	250/-

"TELEGRAPH" ART SUPPLEMENT

To-morrow's Picture Features

There will be an interesting array of topical pictures in to-morrow's issue of the *Telegraph* Pictorial Supplement.

Groups taken at the Po Leung Kuk and the new Tung Wah Hospital will be shown, as well as others of the 13th Hongkong Group of the Boy Scouts, the Young Chung Girls' School, staff and pupils of the Peak School, and revolver teams of the Canton Police and the Chinese Company of the Hongkong Police Reserve.

There will be photographs illustrating the work of the N. T. Agricultural Association amongst schoolboys at Castle Peak, and pictures showing progress with the Shing Mun waterworks scheme and anti-malarial measures in this locality.

Photos taken at the wedding of Mr. A. O. Hyland and Miss Phyllis Capell will also appear.

During the absence of Mr. T. E. Lacoya from the Colony, Mr. Eugene G. Lacoya will be in charge of the Consulates for Nicaragua and Salvador.

One case each of diphtheria and meningitis were reported to the health authorities on Wednesday.

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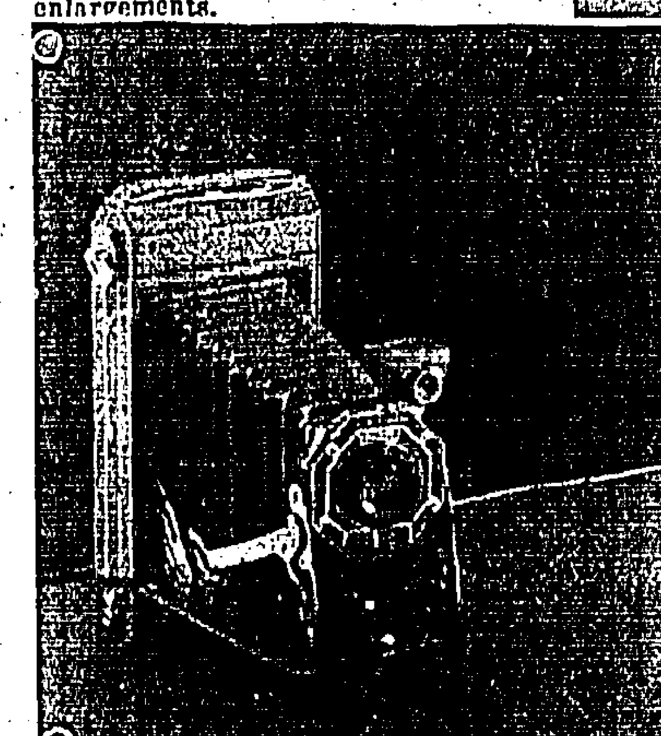

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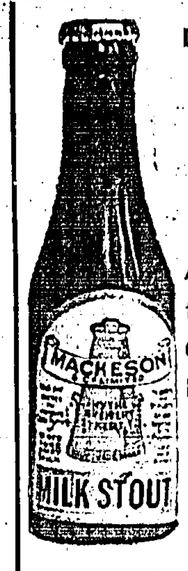

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FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 1934.

PUBLIC WORKS POLICY

General satisfaction will be felt at the decision of the Government to expedite construction of the new Central British School by placing the work in the hands of an outside firm of architects. The patience of Kowloon residents has been well-nigh exhausted in consequence of the interminable delays asociated with this project. Apart from the holding up of the scheme through other causes, the unjustifiable alienation of the original site, for the purposes of a mental hospital on which work has not yet even commenced, has been a decided factor in depriving Kowloon of what has long since been admitted to be an absolute necessity. Hopes will, however, be revived following the decision reached by the Government. This decision raises the general question of progress on essential public works. The almost invariable experience locally is that funds voted for given projects are not used up according to plan. Not only is this the case in respect of ordinary budgetting, but also in the case of supplementary votes, it being frequently found that although the Secretary of State's permission is given, the monies are not spent. It was stated in Council yesterday that the P.W.D. staff is adequate for the carrying out of the existing programme of Public Works Extraordinary, if the new Central British School is excepted, but the fact remains that there is a great deal of leeway to be made up on urgent schemes. There are two alternatives in dealing with the situation—either increasing the P.W.D. staff or putting more work out to non-Government architects. Of the two, the latter method is to be preferred. Adding to the permanent staff only means increasing the costs of administration, which are already quite high enough. Neither can a policy of engaging additional temporary staff be regarded as a desirable move. On the other hand, placing of urgent works, for which funds are available, in the hands of outside firms has everything in its favour. Under this system, jobs would be more expeditiously and most likely more cheaply carried through. There is, moreover, the further factor that firms which contribute to the rates and which are feeling the depression would be benefited, while costs would be kept within the tender price and there would be no additions to the Colony's liabilities in respect of personal emoluments. For these reasons, the policy to be followed in regard to the new Central British School might with advantage be extended to other works as well.

NOTES OF THE DAY

BARTHOU-SIMON CLASH

The quarrel between M. Barthou and Sir John Simon at the disarmament conference is serious not so much because of the injury to Anglo-French relations, although that is sad enough, but because of its exposure of the wideness of the gap in viewpoint. M. Barthou apparently went further than he needed in his desire to break down the argument Sir John Simon had so carefully built up, and refused to apply the more complimentary explanation to Britain's change in attitude to Germany's demands. Personal illwill probably did not enter into the dispute at all. M. Barthou's ironical attack, causing so much resentment in British official circles, arose largely from the passionate belief of the French in the justice of their own case, and Britain's readiness to stray from a parallel path has, of course, given new force in France to the expression La Perfide Albion.

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AIR FUTURE

If evidence were needed of Britain's sincerity in seeking disarmament, it is to be found in her air programme for the present year. Taking the view that an ounce to example is better than a pound of precept, the British Government has still resisted the demands for large increases in her modest Air Force, while continuing the negotiations for parity in armament. She intends to refrain from building up to European standards as long as there is hope that Europe will scale down its standards to hers. The moment is a critical one. There is no sign that France will reduce her strength unless her demands for security are satisfied.

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DANGER TO EUROPE

Even while the whole question of offensive armaments—big guns, tanks, air equipment—is under review there is an immediate danger that to the formidable Air Forces of the heavily armed powers will soon be added a powerful German Air Force, and that the whole of Europe will find itself committed to the maintenance of enormous potential attacking forces. Then, even if parity should be assured, it would be likely to be on the basis of high and provocative expenditure. Since Britain's island position does not make her immune from air attack, it is not surprising that considerable sections of opinion in that country should demand an increase of her air strength. In spite of her scattered imperial responsibilities, her Air Force is weaker than that of France, or Russia, or Italy, or the United States, or Japan. As long ago as 1923 the Committee of Imperial Defence laid it down that fifty-two squadrons were necessary for British security; but she has never reached this standard, and to-day has only forty-two squadrons.

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PRESSURE RESISTED

Much pressure has been brought on the Cabinet to increase air strength at least up to the former figure, which would still leave Britain numerically weaker than Italy. But the Government had made up its mind. There is to be one additional flying boat squadron for overseas service, the equivalent of one more squadron for the Fleet Air Arm, and only two new squadrons instead of eight demanded for home defence. The Government still hopes to achieve air parity between the principal powers by reduction to the British level rather than by expansion. While disarmament, then, is still under discussion, the British Government is curtailing expansion to a minimum, though it is obliged to make it clear that it cannot always accept a position of continuing inferiority in the air.

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PRACTICAL CONTRIBUTION

The Government has, however, afforded unmistakable evidence of its sincerity by being willing to hold its hand for the present while negotiations are proceeding. This pacific attitude, it ought to be remembered, has been that of Great Britain ever since the conclusion of the war, when she immediately began the demobilisation of her conscript army and has since been content with a regular army, even smaller than that which she had in 1914. She has also reduced her naval forces, and welcomed the cooperation of the United States in coming to an agreement for the limitation of navies. Moreover, in spite of some noisy sections of the press, there is ample evidence that public opinion is overwhelmingly in favour of a policy of disarmament to the lowest possible point compatible with the huge armaments of the European continent. For the present, it is in the air that Britain's defences are conspicuously weakest, in spite of the high efficiency of the small existing Force. In all the difficulties of the past months Britain has made all the best practical contributions to the case for disarmament.

NINE NOUGHTS IN A LINE

AFTER all it may be the plumber with his adjustable spanner and not the politician with his economy axe who will unlock the gate on the road to prosperity. A law abolishing locomotive whistles might well do more to relieve the burden of direct taxation than several finance statutes.

And a commemorative monument probably awaits the policeman who releases the budget surplus which waits in the wake of every traffic jam.

For amateur statisticians have discovered that it is the economizer—not the economist—who is needed to solve the economic problem: These "ten-figure men" deduce that the plumber's assistant who stops the waste of a dripping kitchen faucet makes a far greater contribution to business equilibrium than the legislator who looses the flood of parliamentary debate.

These statisticians have been waging mighty conflict in the pages of prominent journals recently. Their ammunition has been numerical figures; their armies, phalanxes of noughts; their aim, to prove that what ails society to-day is waste—vast sums of money filtering away each year through carelessness, and hours of energy being misdirected.

As a rule these figure-ative Napoleons fight alone. They do not seem to realize that a combined attack of massed statistics would be overwhelming. Add up the collection of separately discovered wastes, and the yearly bill represents a sum so vast that it would take all the existing gold miners in the world more than 3,000 years' continuous digging to produce its equivalent in gold. For the total waste discovered, to date, appears to be considerably over £280,000,000,000 a year.

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And the game goes on. Figures are sometimes out of date in little more than a day. Each amateur statistician has his own favourite waste. Some have collections. One has written a beautifully illustrated book. And each month rolls back to see new wastes, backed by a force of nine nothings in a line, brought forcibly to light.

To some it seems surprising that bread queues are not 200 miles long instead of 200 yards. It has been calculated that at the present rate of discovery, statistical prospectors will in a very few months be able to prove to their own satisfaction that it will take only 503 years to denude the world of everything.

For these waste statisticians have been particularly busy of late. The drip, drip, drip of the kitchen tap is disclosed as a serious leak in the economic system. Pear-shaped drops? No! Pearl shaped. On the basis of one calculation it would take 2,000 reservoirs, each holding 15,000,000 gallons, to contain the volume of water wasted in Europe each year through dripping taps.

Truly, it would seem, does money run away like water. And as truly is its elusive progress accelerated by traffic jams, which hold the traffic back and let the money escape all the quicker. One writer declares that the city engineer of Bradford, northern English manufacturing town, has estmated that the loss due to traffic jams amounts to £700 a day in each long street in that city.

How many long streets in a town the size of Bradford! How many towns in Britain even larger than Bradford! If the money wasted through traffic jams was collected and divided equally among the population, every single inhabitant of the British Isles could buy a new fur coat, a new automobile, ten new suits, and a round-the-world cruise—and that every year.

Automobiles are not alone in their discredit. Mistrust of all forms of transport seems to lurk in the breast of every amateur statistician. The locomotive appears to him, not as it appears to boys—heroic steel, a mechanical Arthur thundering across the country as if in pursuit of a machine-made dragon. Nor does he see it as some artist, who understands it as man's supreme conception of power, straining to be set loose.

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No, to those who hound figures the locomotive can but fetch and carry material for its own destruction. Locomotives, they have it, cause the waste of at least £2,000,000 a year. Steam whistles annoy the figure hounds. They declare that they dissipate $1,000,000 a year.

And the whistle is not alone in condemnation. The sparks that fly from the smokestack are golden pointed. One, more venturesome than the rest, will dart to a tree and settle in some long grass. And then are their faces red? A million pounds a year goes up in smoke.

The cannon is even hungrier than the locomotive. Its appetite is sixty times as big. The belching smoke is 150 times as dangerous as the darting spark. War costs America about $675,000,000 a year. With much of that she still pays for previous wars. With the rest prepares in case she should have to deal with another.

The only war which the writers appear to think would be—statistically—justified, would save, instead of waste, £100,000,000. It would be a war against fraudulent advertisers. A galaxy of "ten-figure men" blame fraudulent advertisers for a yearly loss approaching very near to the amount spent on wars. And automobile crashes are debited with £515,000,000.

And how much would a new Pied Piper be worth? About 10,000 times as much as a cabinet minister; he could be paid that and then leave about £50,000,000 in annual saving. For rodents are said to cause £70,000,000 worth of damage.

And those bronzed backs flashing in the shore-side sun are viewed with disfavour by at least one "warden of waste." For purely statistical reasons. It has been declared that, in some way which it has been difficult to discover, sunburn is responsible for an annual loss of £1,400,000.

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Naturally there is some controversy as to what the statistics mean, and, if they mean anything, what they prove. There appear to be three main groups of contestant voices.

The first declares that the object of modern civilized life is to make every machine so efficient that it is possible to waste without worrying.

The second affirms that if the (*Continued on Next Columns.*)

"You see, it would simply break his father's heart if, by any chance, Byron failed to pass."

world was rid of all waste, it would not be essential, as it is now, to save on other things to make up for it. And so there would be a great deal more leisure.

The third maintains that it does not matter much anyway. Believing the argument of neither side, this set of folk points out that the ideal land in the statistician's view would be a land where every machine was so efficient that there was no waste, no mishaps, and no work.

Even while the statisticians talk, the waters of a mighty ocean lap lazily round an island which fulfills every condition they could ask. On it there are no traffic jams, no wasteful machines, no war and no work. The island lies in the Pacific. No one lives there. Not even a statistician.

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Mr. Edward Kelly Decides That The Time Is Ripe To Start A New Movement

THIS hurts us more than it's going to hurt you, but seeing that Mr. Woodruff is starting a new system to save the world, the time is opportune for the introduction of our new movement.

THE only difficulty about this is the shirts. The Nazis have brown shirts, the Canton Crowd Systemers wear green shirts, the Fascists wear black shirts, General O'Duffy's team have blue shirts, and the people who come home from the races wear no shirts. This limits the choice of a really snappy line of shirtings.

After mature consideration we have decided that followers of the Kelly Save the Hotel-keepers Social movement shall wear heliotrope shirts with red hoops and pink cap. The salute will be made by extending the hand, palm up, somewhere on the level of the waist, the saluter at the same time adopting a wistful expression. Women members will, of course, adopt a threatening expression. This ought to come easy.

The financial policy of the movement will be to get as much money as possible for nothing. Should it be found necessary to borrow money, an exceptionally high rate of interest will be agreed to, but not paid.

All funds received over and above working expenses will be used for purchasing $1 sweep tickets. A dictatorship will be established, and a committee composed of Gandhi, the Hon. Mr. A. D. C. Wolfe, Mr Edward Kelly, Mrs. Aimee McPherson, Mr. Ruttonjee, Tam Pearce, Chiang Kai-shek and Primo Carnera will also be formed. The committee will submit any legislation to the Dictator (us) for final consideration, when we will immediately veto it.

Poker and compulsory turn will be compulsory subjects in all schools.

Hitler and Mussolini are are doing a great deal towards increasing the population of Germany and Italy, assisted, of course, by a lot of other Germans and Italians, and we think that we could well do with a drop of that sort of stuff in this Colony in order to populate our Peak with the right type. Accordingly, under the Kelly Plan any woman producing a child under 28lbs. at birth will be fined. At least one baby a year for the first ten years will be required from married couples, after which, having had a solid grounding in the subject, three babies a year will be demanded. This may sound like extortion, but it's all in a good cause.

Euripides, the Greek tragedian, who was named after a well-known volcano has said "O, wad some power the giftie gie us, to see ourscls as ithers see us."

Which, being translated from the Greek, means: "Why can't I look through a telescope at myself?" For some time we have observed a growing laxity in our public morals. We have seen with our own eyes numbers of people holding their dogs on thin leashes that may snap at any moment. We have actually seen a Peak flapper fraternising with a Kowloon clerk. We have asked ourself, are we on the downward path? The answer is, unfortunately, "Yes."

What this Colony wants is uplift. A cleansing. A winnowing. A sweeping and garnishing. A purifying . . . (You forgot the Augean stables) yes, the Augean stables must be cleansed. The best way to do this is to start off by lynching somebody. Some people prefer pogroms. It was even suggested to us by one of our Brain Trust that the hours for pogroms should be from 9.30 a.m. till 5 p.m. with an hour off for lunch. We vetoed this. We just took our vetoer firmly by the handle, and that was the finish of that suggestion.

But before we can hope to do any stable cleaning we must get hold of the means of production and consumption. Then we can lift the purchasing power of the masses to the level of the industrial equatorial basis as a last step towards the stabilisation of interest to the point of blasphemy. Then, having done that it should be a simple matter to codify the exchange rate and peg the monetary system at value commensurate with the cost of living on the one hand and the fluctuations of the fundamental necessities of the proletariat with a margin for skill and heredity, even if this means resigning from the League of Nations.

You will see that this work must be started at once. We can't go on like this, betting in dollars and smoking second-grade cigars, scraping for our walla walla fares after signing chits for an enjoyable dinner dance. Let us then be up and doing somebody!

On! On!

SINO-JAPANESE "BATTLE"

VERBAL OUTBURST AT GENEVA

"FRIENDS" IN MANCHURIA

Geneva, May 31.

A battle of words between the Chinese and Japanese delegates occurred to-night at a private sitting of the Opium Advisory Committee.

The Committee was discussing the question of import certificates for Manchukuo, and the majority, in order to avoid raising the political aspect of the question, favoured the retention of the existing system whereby Consular permits are used.

Sir Malcolm Delevigne, the British representative, maintained that these permits did not offer the same guarantees as import certificates.

The Committee decided that it was not qualified to settle the issue.

JAPAN'S POSITION.

Mr. Yokoyama, the Japanese Consul-General at Geneva, stated that the situation in Manchukuo was a legacy from former rulers. His Japanese friends in Manchukuo had advised him that the situation would continue to improve.

This led to the passage of words with Mr. Victor Hoo, the Chinese Consul-General, who challenged Mr. Yokoyama's remark that Japan had not had anything to do with Manchukuo.

MERE ADVISERS.

Mr. Hoo maintained that Mr. Yokoyama's friends in Manchukuo must have more power than that of mere advisers if they could deal with the drug question.

The Committee adopted the report of the sub-committee on seizures.—*Reuter.*

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE

CONCERT ARRANGED FOR TO-MORROW

The Y.W.C.A. International Service Centre is putting on what promises to be a very attractive concert of an international character to-morrow at St. Stephen's Girls' College, Lyttelton Road, at 8.15 p.m.

The programme includes some Chinese historical scenes with very beautiful costume effects presented in tableau form and explained by the students of Fairlea Girls' School, under the direction of the Head Mistress, Mrs. Cheung Wing-kai.

Chinese boxing and Chinese street scenes will be contributed by students of King' College and those attending will have the pleasure of hearing again Mr. John Braga on the violin and Miss Carolin Braga at the piano. Humorous sketches will be given by Miss Evelyn Gray and her friends. The First Hongkong Sea Scouts will dance the Horn-Pipe.

Those who attend this concert will not only spend an enjoyable evening but will be supporting a very fine piece of work which is being carried on by the Y.W.C.A. at the International Service Centre. In this time of depression not least of its work is its Employment Bureau and all that that entails in the friendship and guidance extended to young women of various nationalities in the Colony.

IRISH SENATE

PRESIDENT WARNS DE VALERA

Dublin, May 31.

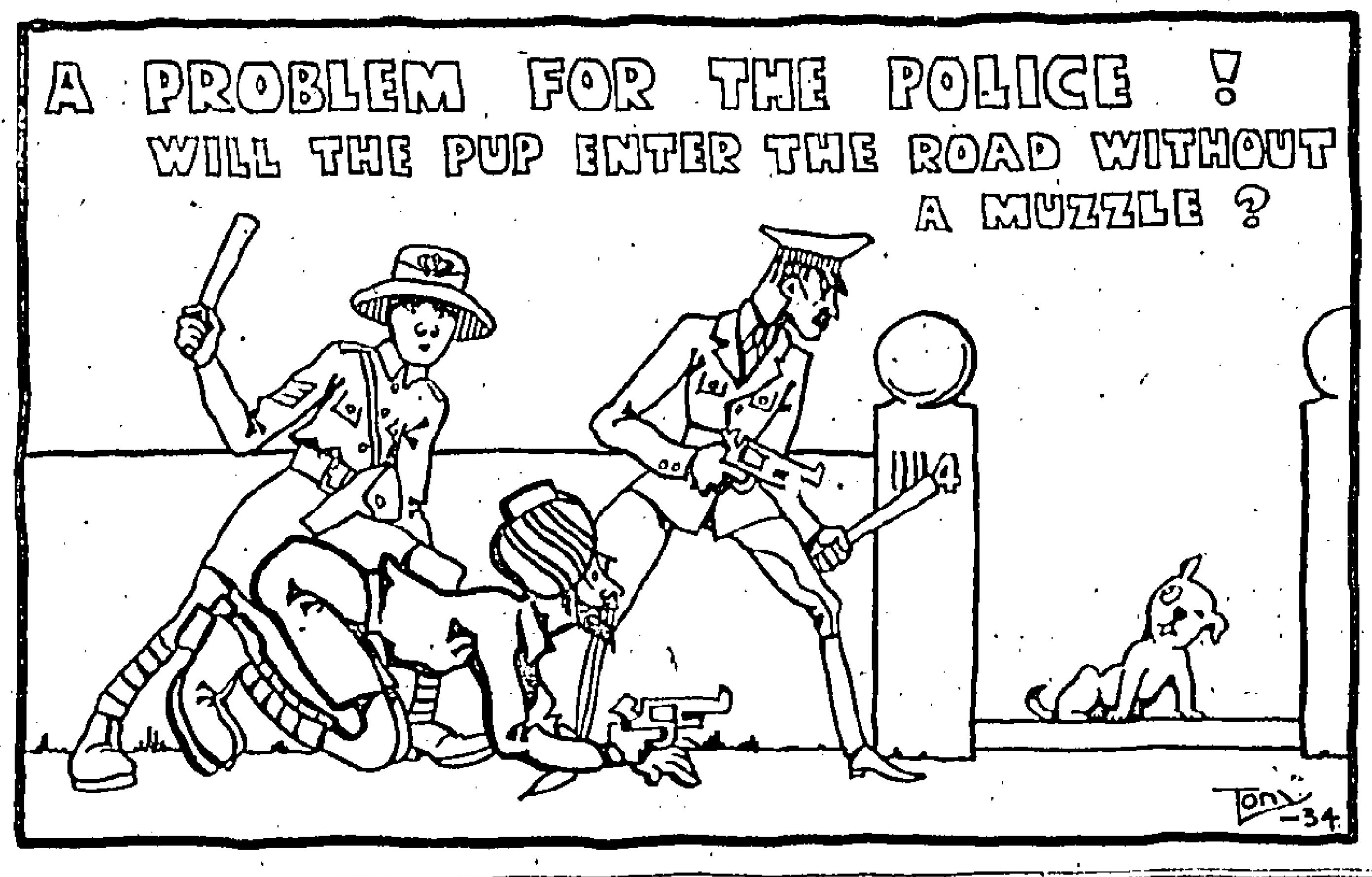
The Irish Free State Senate met to-day to decide whether it will prefer suicide or execution.

The Bill before the Senate relates to its own abolition, which has already been passed by the Lower House.

It is stated that the Senate is certain to reject the Abolition Bill, but this will merely mean a year's respite, at the end of which time the measure will be automatically enacted.

After Mr. de Valera had explained the Abolition Bill, the Chairman declared that the Senate had been the victim of dishonest propaganda by the Government and its supporters.

The Chairman declared that a single-chamber government would inevitably lead to revolution and de Valera might yet find someone to play the part of Robespierre to his Danton or Lenin to his Kerensky.—*Reuter.*



DISASTER FUND

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STATEMENT TO BE ISSUED

The *Telegraph* Fund on behalf of the sufferers in the gasworks disaster closed yesterday, the gratifying total of $4,353.15 having been raised. This includes a donation of $5, signed "Silva," which reached us yesterday after publication.

The practical sympathy of residents, firms and clubs with the sufferers has been demonstrated by the excellence of the response, and it is a noteworthy fact that not a single day has passed since the Fund was inaugurated in which contributions were not received.

We should like to take this opportunity of thanking all who contributed to the Fund, and also the St. John Ambulance Bridage for undertaking the onerous task of administering the monies received.

The work of assisting the worst cases is still in hand, and when this is completed, a statement will be issued how the money has been expended, whilst full details of each case dealt with will be available for inspection by contributors.

THE GOOD EARTH

AUTHORITIES HAMPER FILMING

Shanghai, May 31.

It is reported from Japan that Pearl Buck, the famous authoress, who left China unannounced by the Empress of Russia on Sunday, departed in disgust because she was unable to secure a trac motion picture in China of her well-known novel, "Good Earth."

The message states that there were many obstacles placed in the path of her photographers, and the taking of essential shots was hampered as Government officials claimed that they reflected the worst side of Chinese life.

It is stated for instances that when the photographers wanted to shoot simple farm life scenes, Government officials wanted foreign tractors and ploughs to figure in the picture.—*Reuter.*

PRISON LITERATURE.

DETECTIVE STORIES FOR CONDEMNED

London, May 31.

An instance of grim humour was disclosed at question time in the House of Commons to-day when Mr. T. E. Groves, Labour member for Stratford, stated that a man condemned to death, who had since been released after appeal, alleged that while he was in the condemned cell he was given a detective novel entitled "The Hanging Judge," as light literature.

The Rt. Hon. Mr. Douglas Hacking, Under-Secretary for the Home Office, in reply, admitted that detective stories were supplied to men condemned to death but thought that the man must have been mistaken with regard to the title of the book as the deputy governor of the prison was unable to trace it. He assured the House that no such books would be issued to condemned prisoners in the future.—*Reuter.*

THE DISARMAMENT BREACH

FRENCH & BRITISH COMMENT

Geneva, May 31.

Most of the delegations feel they have been through a storm and wonder what is going to happen next.

M. Barthou's speech in the one topic of conversation. It has brought the conference back to the old question of which shall come first: Disarmament or Security.

The speech had a mixed reception. It was endorsed by the Little Entente and the champions of Security First, but was regretted even in such Francophile quarters as the Belgian delegation, owing to the lack of understanding it reveals.

The Italians, listened with approval.

One salient feature if the proceedings during the past two days is that both Sir John Simon and M. Litvinoff favour some kind of a permanent disarmament organisation, and this is held to offer a line on which the general Comission may continue its work.

The French Press regards M. Barthou's attack on Sir John Simon as a sensational development. While thinking that M. Barthou was justified, owing to the disappointing nature of Sir John's speech, all commentators are struck by the unexpected rift in British and French policy and do their best to equalify it.

"Why did Sir John Simon play the role of Devil's Advocate?" asks *Le Journal*, while *Echo de Paris* declares that Sir John's speach has created disillusionment.

L'Ochre is of the opinion that there will be no deep Anglo-French rift. All papers hope there will be no serious consequences.—*Reuter.*

British Re-Action

London, May 31.

M. Barthou's assertion that the French Government would never consent to any Convention which involved any immediate re-armament of Germany, or any legalisation of *de facto* re-armament is generally interpreted as ending hope of a Franco-German compromise.

On the question of security, although he emphasised again the French demand, M. Barthou offered no suggestion as to how security should be organised.

Newspapers report that opinion in British circles at Geneva was that M. Barthou's brilliant oration offered no practical hope of a solution of the present deadlock, and that it merely reiterated a negative, where the positive proposal was urgently necessary.

In other quarters, the result of the debate was regarded as disconcerting.

The Times Opinion.

The Times says Sir John Simon can count upon general approval of the main points of his speech, and will have the solid support of the country if he will now use every practical endeavour to have effect given to his policy. It was courageous and wise to remind his hearers of Germany's case for re-armament, for the reconciliation of French and German views in an essential condition of the Convention. It would be far better that equality should come by reduction of other nations to the German level of armaments, but since others show no inclination, at present, to reduce the process of equalisation, it can only begin by a partial increase in the strengths of the disarmed powers, which, if made by agreement would be controlled.

The journal notes wth satisfaction that both Sir John Simon and M. Barthou implied that the conference could still achieve some result, and recalls Mr. Henderson's suggestion on Tuesday that the outstanding problems were security, regulation of aerial warfare, and international control of traffic in arms.

The Memorandum of smaller powers to which Sir John Simon referred favourably, it adds, covered points essential to a first convention, and the German prosposals of April 16 could, with little alteration, be made totally with them.

"What is wanted is a short, simple Convention which would embody most of these points, and establish a sound basis of approach to the subsequent problem of reduction.

Profound Mistake.

The *Daily Telegraph* says the practical choice of France to-day lies between the regulated and unregulated re-armament of Germany, and almost universal opinion in this country is that she has made a profound mistake in her choice. The *Telegraph* urges that M. Barthou's promise to support any proposal to combat aerial danger should be explored to the full and it endorses Sir John Simon's suggestion for a limited convention for the abolition of chemical warfare, budgetary publicity and the setting up of a permanent Disarmament Commission.

The *Morning Post* says that what has reduced the Disarmament Conference to mockery is the invincible mistrust which Germany has inspired. Until she provides decisive evidence to the contrary, it would be suicide on the part of her neighbours to act on any assumption other than that the equality which she claims is nothing more than a jumping off ground from which to snatch superiority.

The *Daily Mail* welcomes the vigorous tone of Sir Jomn Simon's speech and approves his attitude. It says the wisest plan would be to wind the conference up.—*British Wireless.*

LAWN BOWLS

FINCHER AND PHILLIPS WIN IN TOURNEY

THREE RINK GAMES

Some of the best bowls to date in the Pairs Championship was seen yesterday when E. C. Fincher and R. P. Phillips met J. C. Brown and H. Hampton on the Kowloon B.G.C. green.

Fincher and Phillips won by 20-19, but it was anybody's game even up to the last head. Brown and Hampton led 19-14 up to the nineteenth, but Fincher and Phillips made a marvellous recovery to score a four and a two on the last two heads to snatch a victory.

Every head produced good bowls, every one of the quartette being at the top of his form.

At Happy Valley where the Rinks Championship matches were played, J. S. Logan, J. Watson, V. Petherick and R. Duncan beat E. Tuck, A. S. Gomes, C. S. Rosselet and R. Basa by 24-17 on the Civil Service green.

On the same green, C. H. Basto, C. A. Lopes, J. J. Basto and A. H. Basto beat T. F. Stainton; G. H. Stewart, J. G. Chalmers and N. Drummond by 17-16 after a close game.

The Police rink consisting of W. Forrest, A. E. Carey, W. Mair and G. C. Moss won comfortably against L. de Rome, S. Searle, A. Macfarlane and W. Macfarlane by 22-16 on the Hongkong Football Club green.

WATER LEVELS.

FOR WEST, NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province notifies that the height of water in English feet in the West, North and East Rivers is as follows:

	May 30.	May 31.
West River at Shiuhing	6.3	5.7
North River at Tsing-yuen	7.3	6.6
North River at Samshui	2.8	2.2
East River at Sheklung	0.7	0.4

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

CLASSICAL PROGRAMME FOR THIS EVENING

From ZBW on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilo-cycles):

4.30-7.30 p.m. Chinese Programme.

7.30-10.30 p.m. European Programme.

7.30 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7.33-8 p.m. Variety.

Song—Speak to me of Love.
Lucienne Boyer (Soprano).
Piano Duet—There's a Ring Around the Moon.
Piano Duet—Nymph Errant—Selection.
Carroll Gibbons and John W. Green.
Fox Trot—Over on the Sunny Side.
Fox Trot—Ol' Pappy.
Billy Cotton and His Band.
Vocal Duet—Mood Indigo.
Layton and Johnstone.
Fox Trot—In the Hollow of your Hand.
Fox Trot—Spin a Little Web of Dreams.
Scott Wood and His Orchestra.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-8.20 p.m.
"Old and New" (A Pot Pourri of Popular Melodies) (arr. Finck).
Played by Herman Finck and His Orchestra.

8.20-8.46 p.m. Concert Items.
Song—Wee Willie Winkie (Roberton).
Song—There's Nae Luck Aboot the House (arr. Macpherson and Pentland).
Boyd Steven (Soprano).
Cymbalum Solo—Waltz No. 1 in E Flat (Durand).
Elec Baez
Cymbalum Solo—Red Rose.
Elec Baez.
Instrumental Rakoczy March.
Colombo's Tziganes.
Song—Casanova—O Mistress Fond and Fair (J. Strauss).
Song—Casanova—The Memory of a Kiss (J. Strauss).
Arthur Fear (Baritone).
Violoncello Solo—Mazurka (Popper Op. 11 No.3).
Violoncello Solo—Musette (Bach).
Pablo Casals

8.46-9 p.m. Light Orchestral Music.
Tschaikowsky in Vienna (arr. by Walter).
Orchestra Raymonde.
Apache Dance (Offenbach).
La Golondrina (The Swallow) (Serradell).
Victor Salon Orchestra.

9-9.30 p.m. From the Studio.
A Violin Recital by Professor N. A. Tenoff, accompanied by Professor S. Maklezoff.

Programme.

1. Concerto in A Minor (Accolay).
2. Air Varie No. 1 (de Beriot).
3. Scene de Ballet (de Beriot).
4. Selection of favourite violin pieces.

9.30-10.25 p.m. Classical Programme.
Pianoforte—Prelude and Fugue, No. 10 in E Minor (Bach).
Evlyn Howard-Jones.
Pianoforte—Gigue, (from Fifth French Suite) (Bach).
Myra Hess.
Pianoforte—Variations in C Minor (Beethoven).
Sergei Rachmaninoff.
Quartet—Air from Suite in D—Transcription (Bach).
Lener String Quartet.
Orchestral—Choral Prelude—(Christ Lag in Todesbanden) (Christ Lay in the Bonds of Death((Bach, arr. Stokowski).
Orchestral—Fugue in G Minor (From The "Little G Minor Fugue") (Bach, arr. Stokowski).
Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra.
Overture—Coriolan (Beethoven).
Willem Mengelberg and His Concertgebouw Orchestra.
Last Two Movements of "Symphony No. 5 in C Minor" (Op. 67) (Beethoven).
Played by the Royal Albert Hall Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.
3rd movement—Allegro (Scherzo).
4th movement—Allegro (Finale).

10.25 p.m. Rugby Mid-Day Press News.

10.50 p.m. Close Down.

GREAT MARCUS SHOW.

HONGKONG SEASON TO OPEN AT QUEEN'S THEATRE

The Great Marcus Show, which has been enjoying a very successful season at Shanghai, is opening its season at the Queen's Theatre on June 10, with performances at 5.30 p.m. and 9.15 p.m. daily. The matinee prices are $3, $2, $1 and 50 cents and at night $4, $3, $2 and $1.

Led by A. B. Marcus, the show, which has a company of artistes totalling 69, will be the biggest to appear on the Hongkong stage. Acclaimed the fastest of all dancing shows, it should find much popularity with local audiences. Its presentation includes no less then 22 spectacles.

The distinguished cast of stage, screen and radio celebrities includes Leon Miller, George Broadhurst, Ben McAtee, Lillian McCoy, Georgene Millar, Les Sechrist, Billy Horan, Dottie Coudy, Elmer Coudy, Margo Busch, Platinum Three, California Nighthawks Orchestra, and Harvey, Young and Kaye.

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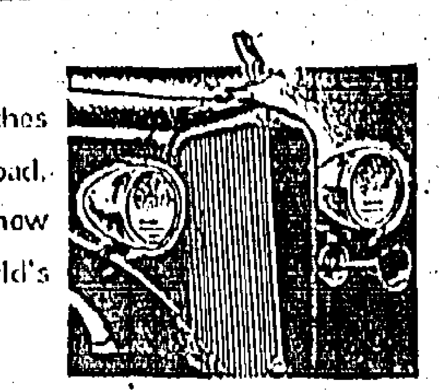

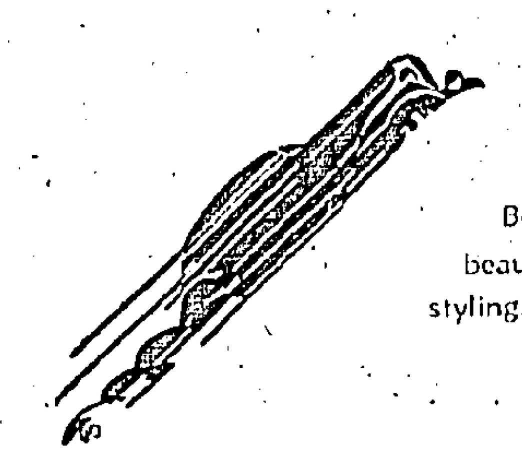

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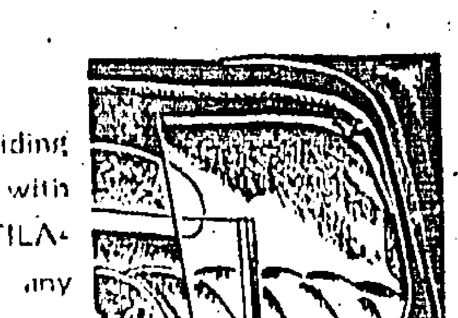

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SHANGHAI LOAN

OVERSUBSCRIBED IN 15 MINUTES

Shanghai, May 31.

The credit of the Council for the Foreign Settlement in Shanghai is decidedly sound.

Debentures with a face value of 7,000,000 Chinese standard silver dollars were offered for subscription to-day. Within 15 minutes of opening, the list was closed, applications in that time having amounted to $24,500,000.

The debentures carry five per cent interest and constitute a straight issue (not underwritten). The price was $102.50 per cent., and the period of the loan is from 10 to 30 years on the security of the municipal assets and revenue.

Chinese interests were large subscribers.

The success of the loan is likely to favourably affect the credit position and stability of local corporations.

It is worthy of note that local banks have previously guaranteed the silver content of the Chinese silver dollar but the Council Treasurer on this occasion declined to insert a similar clause in the debentures, which testifies to the Council's solid credit position.—*Reuter.*

EXCHANGE RATES

	May 29.	May 31.
Paris	77.3/32	76.31/32
Geneva	15.64	15.61
Berlin	12.99½	12.97
Helsingfors	226¾	226¾
Oslo	19.90½	19.90½
Athens	530	530
Milan	59¾	59⅝
Buenos Aires	36½	36½
Shanghai	1/3½	1/3½
New York	5.08⅛	5.06⅝
Amsterdam	7.50	7.49
Vienna	28	27¾
Prague	122¼	122⅛
Bucharest	510	505
Madrid	37⅛	37⅛
Hongkong	1/5.3/16	1/5¼
Brussels	21.74½	21.71
Stockholm	19.40	19.40
Copenhagen	22.39½	22.39½
Lisbon	110	110
Bombay	1/6.1/32	1/6.1/32
Rio	4¼	4¼
Yokohama	1/2¼	1/2.9/32
Montevideo	38⅝	38⅝
Belgrade	223	223
Montreal	5.06¼	5.05
Silver (spot)	19.9/16	19.9/16
Silver (forward)	19⅝	19⅝
War Loan	102⅛	102.1/16

—*British Wireless.*

CRAWFORD REACHES FINAL || DAZZLING OVAL CRICKET

Miss Helen Jacobs, challenger for the French tennis title now held by Miss Margaret Scriven.

VON CRAMM TO PLAY J. CRAWFORD

FOR FRENCH TENNIS TITLE

MISS SCRIVEN IN FINAL

ENGLISH PAIR BEATEN

Paris, May 31.

Jack Crawford, Australian tennis ace, who is holder of the French national tennis championship, will be challenged for the title by Von Cramm, Germany's leading exponent, as a result of to-day's semi-final encounters, which saw the elimination of Christian Boussus of France, and Baron de Stefani, the ambidextrous Italian Davis Cup player.

Miss Margaret Scriven, who, playing last year as an unofficial English representative, surprised the whole of the tennis world by annexing the ladies championship, has again found her way into the final, this time triumphing over Fraulein Aussem, who has been staging a come-back in the international field of tennis.

Miss Helen Jacobs will be her opponent to-day in the final, America's best lady player easily overcoming Madame Mathieu of France.

BOUSSUS PLAYS STRONGLY.

Although the French crowd were disappointed in seeing Boussus defeated by Crawford, the Frenchman had the satisfaction of sending his opponent all the way, and not only captured the second set, but took the third to twelve games and the fourth to ten.

Crawford started flashily, and quickly getting on top ran away with the opening set to three. But Boussus had by then settled down, and making the running drew level with a 6-2 win. The third stanza was very keenly contested, Crawford eventually breaking through. Boussus continued to hold his own, although Crawford was more decisive in his attacking strokes, and had better finishing shots.

Stefani made a late recovery against Von Cramm and then cracked up under the pace. Led by two sets to one, the Italian succeeded in pulling his opponent back to level terms, winning the

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DEFEATED AGAIN

THE YANKEES & GIANTS

WHITE SOX SCORE DOZEN RUNS

New York, May 31.

There was a somewhat restricted programme in the major baseball leagues to-day. Both New York teams were thoroughly beaten, the Giants losing to the Dodgers, and the Yankees being trounced by the Senators.

St. Louis Cardinals sneaked away with a nose out against Cincinnati Reds.

There was taller scoring in the American League. St. Louis bagged eleven against Detroit Tigers, and Chicago White Sox helped themselves to a dozen at the expense of the Cleveland Indians.

Scores as cabled by *Reuter* follow.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	2	10	0
Brooklyn	6	10	0
Pittsburgh	5	14	1
Chicago	11	12	2
(Klein homered)			
St. Louis	3	7	1
Cincinnati	2	7	1
(There were ten innings)			

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington ...	9	14	0
New York	3	12	4
(Lazzeri homered)			
Chicago	12	17	2
(Bonhura homered)			
Cleveland	5	12	1
(Trosky homered)			
Detroit	3	10	1
St. Louis	11	14	1

(Pepper, Bejma and Clift homered).

America In The Davis Cup

BEAT MEXICO FOR ZONE FINAL

Baltimore, May 31.

The United States to-day entered the final of the American Zone in the Davis Cup when Lester Stoefen and George M. Lott won the doubles to secure the necessary third rubber against Mexico.

The Mexican pair, Tapia and Mestre, proved no match for the American, whose doubles combination was purely experimental. Stoefen and Lott won in three straight sets 6-4, 6-4, 6-4.—*Reuter.*

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Cricket enthusiasts had a taste of their favourite sport at the Shanghai race course last week when a cricket match between P. Carr's Eleven and T. A. T. Begg's Eleven unofficially opened the cricket season. Above is shown the teams which participated in the first match of the season, played at the Cricket Club.

OUTLOOK FOR TO-MORROW'S RACE MEETING

Racing Triumph For The Juling Stakes

CHIEF CHALLENGE FROM NATIONAL DAY AND WARRINGTON

(By "Captain Foster").

To-morrow's race meeting at Happy Valley will close our season for the half year, and next week I hope to give you a comprehensive review of the racing which has, so far, taken place this year.

The card to-morrow consists of nine events and the important race will be the Juling Stakes, for which, Racing Triumph is considered a certainty. You already have my views regarding this pony; he is fast enough to carry off the prize, as his training gallops have shewn us that he has plenty of pace, but he has also shewn us that he is not what I consider a genuine racer.

Racing Triumph has now changed hands and the change in stabling and, possibly, food and work may transform him into a dependable pony. Personally I do not think the change of Stable has been long enough as to produce a greatly improved pony, but the field to-morrow—non-winning "D" class ponies—is not what I can call a formidable one, and for this reason one must highly respect his chances. He will doubtless start a raging hot favourite in the Juling Stakes and, perhaps, his favouritism can be compared with that of Lord Glanely's Colt Colombo for the Epsom Classic which comes up for decision on Wednesday next!

Beaufort Handicap.—One mile.

With a run, I prefer the chances of Lemberg, but I gather he may be reserved for the Lantao Handicap later on in the afternoon. In his absence I expect to see a good race between Bay View, Monoplane, The Redshank, What A Chance and William Osler. On form, the issue would appear to lay between Bay View and Monoplane, but I also have a fancy for William Osler, who appeared to be moving nicely last Wednesday morning over six furlongs.

WILL ATLAS COMPETE?

Bondi Handicap.—One miles.

Will Atlas be competing? I do not think we need look further for the winner if he comes under the Starter's order. Failing Atlas, the chances of Night Star loom large, and it will be very interesting to see how her running will compare with Mutiny Bay and Saucy Face. I will not be surprised to see the last named returned the winner. She looks and moves well with plenty of vitality.

Cheung Chau Handicap.—One mile.

A small but select field will contest this event. Sadko, on his last performance, must command respect but, at the weights, and more particularly after his excellent gallop of 1-34 for six furlongs on Wednesday morning last, I rate Hetman very highly. The distance is suitable and I think he will prove to be the chief danger to Sadko. Cossack's Beauty and King's Justice should battle is out for the third place.

Crocodile Handicap.—Five furlongs.

A large field will contest this race, which appears to me to be a very open one, the luck at getting away at the start going a long way in settling the issue. Were I certain that Tolshan will get away nicely I would make him a dangerous contender, but I gather he does not relish the gate. Bold Commander, on his last running, should not be ignored, and we cannot leave out his stable companion Sarabande, who is an exceptionally quick starter. St. Ives has a light weight and may reward his patient backers by winning. Delightful Chance, Little Beauty and The Carp are all capable of winning. There should not be a pronounced favourite and I would be inclined to back one's fancy.

LEMBERG DANGEROUS.

Lantao Handicap.—One mile.

The Tully Ho Stable are starting Daylight Eve, Royal Flush and Valorous and I think either Daylight Eve or Valorous will win. At the weights, Daylight Eve is slightly to be preferred, but Valorous is fancied to extend him and might, quite possibly, win. I happen to know that the Stable connexions are uncertain of the outcome as regards these two ponies. Lemberg—if started here—becomes most dangerous and—on form—should fill the first place. Tillicum at 140 lbs. is not to be despised but I think the distance will be found to be too long. Wakefield and Wayward Stag should not be ignored.

Green Island Handicap.—One mile.

I cannot say which I fancy the most,—Blue Star or King's Bounty. On form we must support the latter, but the former with 148 lbs. appeals very strongly to me. Don is capable of causing an upset on his best form, but I have not seen him in action lately, so cannot say anything about his prospects. Bright Star with 165 lbs. will have to be in his very best condition to be dangerous. Soldier of Germany must be there or thereabouts.

Juling Stakes.—One mile.

The chances of Racing Triumph have already been extolled. Of the rest of the entrants, I like Burgomaster, King's Parade, National Day, Powerful King, Warrington and Widnes. I may be rash in leaving out Chivalrous and Colombo. I feel that the danger to Racing Triumph will come from either National Day or Warrington. Both are quietly fancied, and quite rightly too! For a long shot I would suggest Powerful King.

CAN THE GOOSE DO IT?

Manly Handicap.—One mile.

Can The Goose concede 19 lbs. to 'Vriday is a question I have been trying to answer, and I have come to the conclusion that she cannot. Can St. Joan at 151 lbs. beat either of them? I doubt it, so shall relegate the third position for her. I cannot see any of the other starters disputing any of the place positions.

Lama Handicap.—One mile.

Cavalcade and Fudge will show to advantage in this race and I favour the latter to win. No Fear, Gay Butterfly and Helter Skelter appear to me to be the pick of the rest.

TEST TRIAL

Thirteen Invitations Sent Out

Before the first Test match between England and Australia, which is to be played at Nottingham on June 8, a trial will be played at Lord's beginning to-morrow.

It is listed as England vs. the Rest and, presumably, the side which will probably meet the tourists in the Trent Bridge match will be opposed to the pick of the other England players.

Among the invitations sent out for the match, were to the following:

R. E. S. Wyatt (Warwick), the Nawab of Pataudi (Worcester), M. J. Turnbull (Glamorgan), C. F. Walters (Worcester), R. W. V. Robins (Middlesex), B. H. Valentine (Kent), Sutcliffe, Leyland and Verity (Yorkshire), Hammond (Gloucester), Ames (Kent), Nichols (Essex), and Jas. Langridge (Sussex).

Gordon Richards' Escape

HORSE TURNS A SOMERSAULT

Chester, May 9.

Gordon Richards, the famous jockey, had the narrowest escape of his career from serious accident in the race for the Chester Cup this afternoon.

He was riding the favourite, Mr. J. E. Rowson's Roi de Paris, and when they came to the straight several horses were closely bunched together. Lord Carnarvon's much-fancied filly, Sibell, fell and brought down Barrage.

Roi de Paris was immediately behind the pair. In trying to jump over Sibell, who fell, just in front of him, he turned a complete somersault and Richards was shot off his back as if he had been catapulted. Fortunately he was thrown clear of the rest of the field and, as the ground was soft, he was not injured.

Barrage sprawled over Roi de Paris. His rider, T. Barber, was taken to hospital, but his injuries are not very serious. T. Bartlam, who was on Sibell, was also taken to hospital with cuts and bruises.

The ambulance was signalled for, but Richards was running back to the paddock long before it reached the scene of the accident.

Sibell was so badly injured that she had to be shot.

CONTRACT BRIDGE

Judah And Poliki Win Final Game

The final game in the Contract Bridge Tournament, organised by the Sports Club was played last night.

Messrs. D. Judah and M. T. Poliki defeated Messrs. Danenberg and Ozorio by 5,640 points.

Messrs. M. H. Lo and L. H. Lo defeated Messrs. P. N. Da Silva and H. M. Barros, in the semi-final of the Consolation Tournament.

VARSITIES TENNIS

GOOD PROSPECTS AT OXFORD

CAMBRIDGE NOT SO STRONG

The prospects for the coming season at Oxford are brighter than they have been for many years, with five full Blues in residence, G. C. Frank (the captain), W. F. Moss (hon. secretary), C. L. Burwell, B. K. Burnett and F. C. de Saram. There are also several promising Freshmen at Frank's disposal, notably L. C. Wright, A. M. Cunninggim, J. A. S. Collins and Hofmeyr. Other Freshmen above the ordinary standard are R. C. Riseley, R. Pulbrook, a fine ball games player and N. S. McGowin.

Of the seniors who did well last year E. G. Williams only narrowly missed his Blue and is a very consistent singles player; H. H. Wasson has been strengthening his backhand, and J. A. la Nauze possesses a heavily cut American service. E. A. Barlow, the cricket Blue, is also an effective player and has already met with successes in tournament play. Trials began at the start of term and until they are completed it will be impossible to predict either the singles or the doubles sides.

TWO OLD BLUES AT CAMBRIDGE

D. N. Jones, captain of the Cambridge University Lawn Tennis Club, has only one member of last year's successful team to call on, D. G. Freshwater, his doubles partner last year. Of the seniors in residence J. R. Fawcus, the new hon. secretary of the club, only just missed his Blue last year and has been showing good form in open tournament play with his brother C. R. Fawcus, the runner-up to W. C. Choy in last year's Freshmen tournament. G. Leyton, R. W. Higgin and K. Chartikavanij are also in full practice and stand an excellent chance of winning Blues. Of the Freshmen M. Bhandari, a recent winner of the All-India doubles championship at Allahabad, is reported to be a first-class exponent and if he can find a suitable partner he should be certain of a place in the Cambridge doubles team.

The prospects of a Cambridge victory in the 'Varsity match are naturally not so bright as in the past few years when the captains have been able to turn out teams headed by Davis Cup players. Cambridge have not been beaten in the inter-'Varsity match since 1929.

PROFESSIONALS' L.T.A. DISSOLVED

Control In Hands Of Parent Body

The Lawn Tennis Professionals' Association was dissolved at a special general meeting held recently at Queen's Club, and in future the professional side of the game will be under the control of the Lawn Tennis Association. The necessary resolution to dissolve the body, proposed by H. E. Pervin (chairman) and seconded by D. Maskell, was carried by 13 votes to 9 after a full and lengthy discussion. The resolution was:—

That the Executive Committee of the Lawn Tennis Professionals' Association, having with only one dissentient approved the conditions put forward by the Lawn Tennis Association in a letter dated March 23, 1934, for assuming the entire control of the professional side of lawn tennis. This special general meeting of the Lawn Tennis Professionals' Association hereby approves of the dissolution of the Lawn Tennis Professionals' Association on April 30, 1934, and directs the secretary of the Lawn Tennis Professionals' Association to take all necessary steps to effect such dissolution after payment of all debts and liabilities of the L.T.P.A. and to transfer to the Lawn Tennis Association any balance standing to the credit of the L.T.P.A. to be used by the Lawn Tennis Association as a nucleus for a benevolent fund for registered professionals.

And further directs the secretary of the Lawn Tennis Professionals' Association to hand over to the Lawn Tennis Association all cups, shields and other trophies at present held by L.T.P.A. for competition between professionals.

Miss Peggy Scriven who meets Miss Helen Jacobs in the final of the French singles championship.

881 RUNS IN TWO DAYS

SOME SUPERB BATTING

BY AUSTRALIANS

PLAY SURREY AT OWN GAME

London, May 31.

Sparkling batting kept a huge crowd at the Kennington Oval today on the tip-toes of excitement, when the match between Surrey and the Australians was continued.

Surrey contented themselves with adding another 100 odd runs for four further wickets and then declaring, but the Aussies carried on the good work of spoiling bowlers' averages, and at the close were only 69 runs behind with seven wickets in hand.

The Australians scored at a terrific pace. McCabe and Ponsford, who both made big scores, were only a little short of a run a minute, and Bradman, who followed after the foundation of a big aggregate had been laid, actually hit up 77 in 75 minutes, finding openings in every part of the Surrey field to collect eleven boundaries.

FORTUNE FAVOURS BRAVE.

Andrew Sandham could only add 21 to his overnight score and left after contributing 229 in 371 minutes. His best hits were a six and 21 fours, and throughout his batting was highly attractive and greatly delighted the crowds under the shadow of the Kennington gasometers.

Surrey went to get runs quickly, and at 475 for 7, applied the closure.

The Australians tackled their task very cheerfully. McCabe hit at anything and everything. He gave numerous chances off the fast bowling, but blessed with the good fortune that attends the brave, kept his wicket intact.

Within four and a half hours he had knocked up 185, and was still undefeated. No less than 21 times did he reach the ropes with powerful hooks and drives. It was exhilirating cricket.

Ponsford, who aided and abetted was in his most brilliant mood. He flogged the ball all round the wicket, and with 160 minutes had scored 125. Seventeen boundaries were included in the magnificent innings.

And after Ponsford came Bradman, whose audacious tackling of the bowling earned him 77 runs in 75 minutes, including eleven fours, and at the close, the Australians were 406 for 3.

The scores were cabled by Reuter.

INNINGS WIN FOR YORKSHIRE

Northants In The Doldrums

Northants had the unpleasant experience against Yorkshire of being beaten by an innings and four runs in two days of cricket.

Yorkshire required only to score 257. Northants could do nothing at the wicket. Their first visit realised 153, and their second the bare 100, Verity bowling well during this period to take 4 for 25.

Partridge also did some useful trundling for Northants, capturing 5 for 99, but the Tykes were immeasurably superior, and won at ease.

LAWN BOWLS PROGRAMME FOR SATURDAY

BOWLING GREEN MEET C.C.C. "B"

POLICE OPPOSE INDIAN R.C.

Among the more interesting encounters to-morrow in the lawn bowls league are those between the Kowloon Bowling Green and Craigengower "B" in the senior division and the Police and Indian Recreation Club in the junior section.

The programme for to-morrow afternoon is as follows:

SENIOR DIVISION.

Civil Service	v Taikoo R. C.
Kowloon B. G. C.	v Craigengower "B"
Police R. C.	v Kowloon Docks
Club de Recreio	v Kowloon C. C.

JUNIOR DIVISION.

Hongkong Electric	v Civil Service
Yacht Club	v Kowloon B. G. C.
Indian R. C.	v Police R. C.
Kowloon C. C.	v Club de Recreio
Football Club	v Craigengower C. C.

Teams which have been selected for to-morrow's games are appended:

SENIOR DIVISION.

Kowloon B.G.C. v. Craigengower "B."

P. T. Farrell	M. J. Medina
J. S. Logan	G. Duncan
R. Hall	E. Tick
W. S. Drake (skip)	J. Cavanagh (skip)
R. Duncan	A. E. Marchent
S. Randle	H. Milton
V. Petherick	W. Gill
W. Macfarlane (skip)	C. L. Simmons (skip)
J. Watson	F. K. Moll
A. S. Russell	L. C. R. Souza
J. B. Budding	W. T. Brightman
L. Guy (skip)	C. S. Rosselet (skip)

Police R.C. v. Kowloon Docks.

F. E. E. Booker	A. M. Calman
T. Tallon	T. Coleman
J. C. S. Fender	J. Kempton
W. Mair (skip)	J. McKelvie (skip)
E. G. Post	G. S. Mitchell
T. Perkins	M. Ferguson
Nolan	R. C. Craig
W. E. Hollands (skip)	J. C. Brown (skip)
A. R. Clark	V. Hast
R. Ellis	J. Revie
J. Shepherd	J. A. Lindsay
G. C. Moss (skip)	W. Greig (skip)

Club de Recreio v. Kowloon C.C.

L. J. Silva	H. Hampton
L. F. Xavier	J. A. Flown
F. V. Ribeiro	C. E. Elliot-Heywood
A. H. Basto (skip)	A. E. Silkstone (skip)
L. A. Guterries	J. W. M. Brown
J. G. Gourlo	W. Hyde
C. E. Marques	E. C. Fincher
F. X. Silva (skip)	R. P. Phillips (skip)
J. E. Noronha	H. Gittins
C. H. Basto	L. E. Lammert
H. A. Alves	C. J. Tacchi
C. G. Silva (skip)	J. Fraser (skip)

JUNIOR DIVISION.

Hongkong Electric v. Civil Service.

J. K. Sloan	
H. Butler	
G. T. Padgett	
A. F. Papi (skip)	
J. G. Haigh	
A. McKellar	
H. Deacon	
W. H. B. Muskett (skip)	
H. Hatch	
F. F. Duckworth	
J. F. Lunny	
L. de Rome (skip)	

Yacht Club v. Kowloon B.G.C.

	H. F. Stoneham
	C. B. Hosking
	W. E. Hale
	H. H. Rose (skip)
	G. J. Chambers
	J. Macdonald
	M. J. Henderson
	J. G. Meyer (skip)
	C. L. Farmer
	P. D. O'Connell
	J. G. Charlton
	G. E. F. Thompson (skip)

Indian R.C. v. Police R.C.

D. M. Khan	J. S. Riddell
M. I. Razack	C. Bowman
A. M. Omar	W. Forrest
A. M. Wahab (skip)	W. Glendenning (skip)
A. H. Rumjahn	A. E. Carey
S. O. Box	J. R. McWalter
A. R. Mian	L. Glendening (Jr)
K. M. Omar (skip)	W. McLeod (skip)
S. M. Rumjahn	G. S. Alexander
A. H. Madar	S. Farlow
M. Y. Adat	W. S. Dall
A. R. Dallah (skip)	W. McHardy (skip)

Kowloon C.C. v. Club de Recreio.

M. N. Rakusen	C. Rosa Pereira
W. Mulcahy	F. A. Xavier
T. W. Carr	A. V. Barros
E. Kern (skip)	C. A. Lopes (skip)
L. Jack	J. M. S. Rozario
W. W. Hirst	A. A. Remedios
H. Overy	F. X. Soares
T. Ferguson (skip)	J. J. Basto (skip)
A. Wright	E. V. M. R. Sousa
V. C. Labrum	H. M. Britto
J. S. Dinnen	Dr. R. A. Basto
J. M. Jack (skip)	E. M. Remedios (skip)

Football Club v. Craigengower C.C.

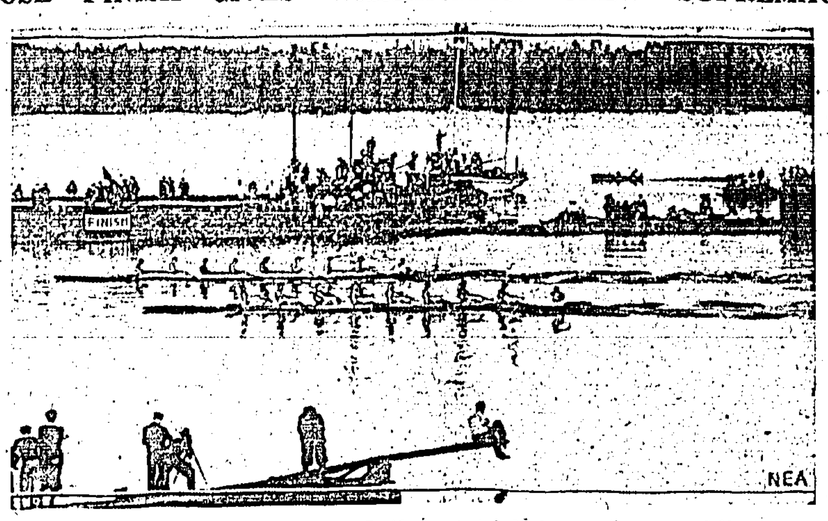
S. Abbas	
J. van der Lely	
E. C. Barry	
V. N. Atienza (skip)	
D. K. Kharas	
F. Barley	
W. English	
A. S. Gomes (skip)	
H. W. Randall	
W. J. Howard	
Y. Abbas	
W. K. Way (skip)	

POLICE R.C. GAME

Married Members To Play Single

On Monday afternoon the Police R. C. are holding an intra-Club match between Married Members and Singles Members. The match will commence at 3 p.m. and the teams will be selected on the green.

CLOSE FINISH GIVES WASHINGTON CREW SUPREMACY



Here's how the rowing classic of the Pacific coast ended when varsity crews of University of California and University of Washington met on Lake Washington, Seattle. The Huskies led the southerners a quarter-length at the finish line after a hard-fought three-mile race with no open water between the shells.

Von Cramm To Meet Jack Crawford

(Continued from Page 8.)

fourth set at the ninth game, but the German's powerful ground strokes and volleying proved the deciding factor, and he ran out a comparatively easy winner in the final set.

Miss Margaret Scriven's straight sets win against Fraulein Aussem was one of the big achievements of the championship meeting. Driving in her best form, and keeping the German girl on the run, Miss Scriven produced an array of dazzling shots to which her opponent had no adequate reply.

In the mixed doubles, another British pair in G. P. Hughes and Miss Betty Nuthall went under to a French combination in Jean Borotra and Mue. Rosambert, 7-5, 6-2.

It was a game with no quarter. The French pair won the first set quite easily, but thereafter there was a thrilling duel. Hughes and Miss Nuthall fought back to win the second set at the fourteenth game, and the third set, which finally ended in favour of the French combination, was of the same duration.

Reuter cabled the following details:

MEN'S SINGLES.

Semi-finals

J. Crawford (Australia) beat C. Boussus (France) 6-3, 2-6, 7-5, 6-4.

G. Von Cramm (Germany) beat Baron de Stefani (Italy) 3-6, 6-1, 6-1, 3-6, 6-2.

LADIES SINGLES.

Semi-finals

Miss Margaret Scriven (England) beat Fr. Aussem (German) 7-5, 6-3.

Miss Helen Jacobs (America) beat Mdme. Mathieu (France) 6-2, 6-2.

MIXED DOUBLES.

J. Borotra and Mlle. Rosambert (France) beat G. P. Hughes and Miss B. Nuthall (England) 6-2, 6-8, 8-6.

YESTERDAY'S "B" DIV: LEAGUE TENNIS

C.R.C. AND RECREIO REMAIN UNBEATEN

I.R.C. DRAW SECOND MATCH

Only two teams in the "B" Division of the lawn tennis league now remain with the maximum number of points from matches played, although the Indian Recreation Club, by virtue of their two drawn games, have yet to suffer defeat.

Yesterday the Chinese Recreation Club and Club de Recreio enjoyed further wins, the C.R.C. proving much too powerful for South China, who could only snatch half a set in nine.

At the K.C.C., the Recreio won with a margin of three sets in hand, but the decision might easily have gone the other way. Oppenheim and Gray were distinctly unlucky not to win against Remedios and Reed, and it was touch and go in the other two sets. In all three sets they went to the full twelve games, two of them being halved and the other lost at 7-5.

Burnett and Lewis again performed well for the losers, winning two sets. Curiously enough they lost to the Recreio third pair.

The Recreio better balanced, deserved their win.

The Indian Recreation Club nearly came a cropper against the Hongkong Cricket Club, while the Graduates suffered their second reverse, this time at the hands of the University, who managed to win the odd set.

Detailed scores and league table follow.

LEAGUE TABLE.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
C.R.C.	2	2	0	0	16½	1½	4
Recreio	2	2	0	0	12½	5½	4
I.R.C.	2	0	2	0	9	9	2
University	2	1	0	1	9	9	2
K.C.C.	2	1	0	1	8	10	2
H.K.C.C.	2	0	1	1	7	11	1
S.C.A.A.	2	0	1	1	5	13	1
Graduates	2	0	0	2	5	13	0

KOWLOON C.C. v. RECREIO.

Visiting the Kowloon C.C., the Club de Recreio won by six sets to three Scores:

G. C. Burnett and R. B. Lewis (K.C.C.) beat J. J. Remedios and J. L. Xavier 6-3; beat A. A. Remedios and W. A. Reed 6-4; lost to H. A. Ribeiro and A. M. Silva 3-6.

L. A. Oppenheim and S. A. Gray (K.C.C.) lost to Remedios and Xavier 5-7; drew with Remedios and Reed 6-6; drew with Ribeiro and Silva 6-6.

C. I. Stapleton and D. S. Green (K.C.C.) lost to Remedios and Xavier 2-6; lost to Remedios and Reed 2-6; lost to Ribeiro and Silva 4-6.

SOUTH CHINA v. CHINESE R.C.

Playing at home, the South China A.A. managed to get only half a set from the Chinese R.C. Scores:

F. N. Wong and K. F. Liu (S.C. A.A.) lost to L. F. Hon and P. K. Lau 4-6; lost to M. K. Lau and P. F. Choy 4-6; drew with Y. W. Li and C. Y. Tso 6-6.

Y. F. Chow and H. Ung (S.C.A.A.) lost to Hon and Lau 0-6; lost to Lau and Choy 1-6; lost to Li and Tso 3-6.

H. Chung and T. K. Leong (S.C. A.A.) lost to Hon and Lau 3-6; lost to Lau and Choy 3-6; lost to Li and Tso 1-6.

INDIAN R.C. v. H.K.C.C.

At Sookunpoo, the Indian R.C. shared the points with the Hongkong C.C., each side scoring 4½ sets. Scores:

A. K. Suffad and S. A. Ismail (I.R.C.) drew with Traill and Dunham 6-6; beat Sewell and Gamble 6-2; beat Pearce and Bathurst 6-3.

A. M. Rumjahn and A. K. Ismail (I.R.C.) lost to Traill and Dunham 3-6; lost to Sewell and Gamble 2-6; lost to Pearce and Bathurst 1-6.

M. O. Hoosen and F. D. Pereira (I.R.C.) beat Traill and Dunham 6-4; beat Sewell and Gamble 7-5; lost to Pearce and Bathurst 2-6.

UNIVERSITY v. GRADUATES.

The University scored a narrow victory over the Graduates' Association at Pokfulam by five sets to four. Scores:

H. L. Lee and C. C. Lee (University) beat H. N. Chung and Y. L. Pao 6-4; lost to L. Tsai and F. Y. Khoo 4-6; lost to Dr. D. K. Samy and Dr. S. A. M. Sepher 4-6.

K. M. Lo and K. T. Lo (University) beat Chung and Pao 6-3; lost to Tsai and Khoo 4-6; beat Samy and Sepher 6-2.

P. P. Khoo and Y. K. Ng (University) beat Chung and Pao 6-3; lost to Tsai and Khoo 5-7; beat Samy and Sepher 6-4.

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The First Bell will be Rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at $5.00 for Gentlemen and $3.00 for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, &c.

The Secretary's office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794), will close at 12 o'clock Noon.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

Tiffins are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Boy in advance. Telephone 21920.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is $1.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price.

Bookmakers, Tic Tac Men, &c., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 28th May, 1934.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Sixth Extra Race Meeting.

Admission to the Public Enclosure on 2nd June, 1934, has been reduced to One Dollar for all persons, including ladies. Soldiers and Sailors in uniform admitted at half price.

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CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

"You Can't Buy Everything," the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture which is having its final showings to-day at the Queen's, serves the veteran stage and screen actress, May Robson, as her Fiftieth Anniversary picture. Fifty years ago Miss Robson launched upon the career as an actress and has worked steadily at her profession ever since. In her newest picture she portrays the eccentric and miserly character of Hannah Bell, phenomenal financier of thirty and forty years ago, whose life was devoted to avenging a man who had jilted her in her youth and to make her son, Donny, the richest man in America. Jean Parker, one of the most promising of the younger film players, who will be fondly remembered for her work in "Rasputin and the Empress," and, more recently, in "Little Women," appears as Lewis Stone's daughter, Elizabeth who falls in love with Hannah Bell's son. Stone, who was last seen as Greta Garbo's chancellor in "Queen Christina," plays the man who jilted Hannah Bell in her youth, who left her waiting at the church, and against whom old Hannah directs all her wrath and vengeance. Mary Forbes, also a veteran of stage and screen, has been given the most important role in her screen career as Kate Farley, noted philanthropist of the Gay Nineties, who is instrumental in causing Hannah to mend her miserly ways. William Bakewell, born in the shadow of the movie industry and with many notable performances to his credit, plays the role of Hannah's grown-up son, who refuses to be made the richest man in America and renounces his mother's miserly ways. Tad Alexander, who enacted the young Czarevitch in "Rasputin and the Empress" plays Donny as a boy. Others in the cast are Reginald Mason as Dr. Lorimer, Walter Walker, Reginald Barlow and Claude Gillingwater.

"Bottoms Up"

John Boles and Spencer Tracy are rivals in love with "Pat" Paterson, charming English comedienne, in the Fox romantic comedy, "Bottoms Up", coming to the King's Theatre on Sunday next. Aiding and abetting the comedy are Herbert Mundin, Sid Silvers and Harry Green. And Thelma Todd makes the plot complete as the villainess, "Bottoms Up" is essentially a romance. But worked logically into the story are several opportunities for John Boles and Miss Paterson to sing. Reports from the previews on the coast are to the effect that there are four song hits in the picture, "Bottoms Up": "Waiting at the Gate for Katy", "Turn on the Moon", "Little Did I Dream" and "I'm Throwin' My Love Away". The story, briefly, deals with the efforts of three merry rogues and a girl with movie ambitions to crash the golden gates of Hollywood. And when they succeed, the girl finds herself actually falling in love with the hero of her first movie. The resulting complications lead to an unusual climax. The picture was written and produced by Buddy DeSylva, in collaboration with David Butler and Sid Silvers. In many respects "Bottoms Up" is said to be reminiscent of Mr. DeSylva's earlier success, "Sunny Side Up".

"Mystery of Mr. X."

"The most mysterious of all mysteries is the one which tells the least," said Edgar Selwyn, director of the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer thriller, "Mystery of Mr. X", which opens to-morrow at the Queen's Theatre. "This is not a conundrum but a tenet of all mystery story creation. The most dire feeling of dread is instilled by keeping the menace a secret. Horror, no matter what the variety, must be hidden. Its effect is felt, but it must not be seen. This is an iron-clad formula in the creation of cerieness. "In the new murder-mystery film the horror is known only as "X", whose shadow is seen passing over the inert bodies of his victims. The snatch of song he whistles is heard. His living quarters are seen, even part of his shoulder. But not until the final exciting sequence does he appear. "The underlying psychology," Selwyn explained, "is based on the world-old recognition that fear of an unknown assailant is more terrible than fear of a tangible object, no matter how imposing. Strong men have been known to break down as a result of imagined adversaries. "Fear is instinctive. It is strongly allied with superstition and lurks in even the most sophisticated human mind. Thus mystery stories are always popular," he said. Robert Montgomery heads the cast of "Mystery of Mr. X," as the suave gentleman crook who becomes entangled in the web of the murderer. Elizabeth Allan has the feminine lead and the cast also features Lewis Stone, Ralph Forbes, Henry Stephenson, Forrester Harvey, Ivan Simpson, Leonard Mudie, Alec B. Francis and Charles Irwin.

"The Girl in 419"

"The Girl in 419", romantic drama featuring James Dunn and Gloria Stuart, is showing at the King's Theatre to-day. The film, a B. P. Schulberg production for Paramount, is set in the police emergency division of a big-city hospital. Its action takes place against the background of excitement and humour, of pathos and tragedy that makes up the day's routine in such an institution. The cast, in addition to Dunn and Miss Stuart, includes David Manners, Jack LaRue, Shirley Grey, Johnny Hines and William Harrigan.

"This Side of Heaven"

Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer has dedicated its most recent picture, "This Side of Heaven," which is showing at the Alhambra Theatre, to the average American family. The picture deals with the inter-woven dramas, high aspirations, youthful romances and disappointments of a typical everyday household. Lionel Barrymore, whose most recent successes have been in "Should Ladies Behave", "Her Sweetheart," and "Dinner at Eight," was chosen by the studio executives as the typical head of the average American family, whose story the picture tells. Fay Bainter, brilliant New York stage star of "East Is West" and numerous other popular plays, was beckoned westward to the Pacific Coast to portray Barrymore's wife and, incidentally, her first motion picture role. Mae Clarke, heretofore known chiefly as an exotic night club girl in former pictures, proves her versatility by her appearance in the role of a young school teacher, loved by two men, one wealthy and all business, the other a young idealistic newspaperman. Mary Carlisle, well known for her co-ed parts in a long string of successful pictures, again appears as the co-ed. She is the younger daughter of the average family who believes marriage is too old-fashioned for one of her young years. Her "Big Moment" in the picture is Henry Wadsworth, young juvenile well known to the eastern stage and who makes his first Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer appearance. Comedy of her own peculiar southern brand is supplied by whimsical Una Merkel, as the housemaid, "Birdie," and Onslow Stevens is seen as one of Mae Clarke's sweethearts.

"Moulin Rouge"

"Moulin Rouge," which opens on Sunday at the Alhambra and World Theatres, marks Constance Bennett's first appearance in a dual role as well as her first 20th Century production. Constance sings two charming numbers in this sparkling screen musical—"Coffee in the Morning and Kisses in the Night" and "Boulevard of Broken Dreams"—and her singing voice is a delightful surprise. The picture is a presentation of Joseph M. Schenck and Darryl F. Zanuck and was released through United Artists. "Moulin Rouge" is the story of an ambitious young wife who tries desperately to secure her husband's consent to renewing her theatrical career, which she abandoned a few years before to marry him. He stubbornly refuses, belittling her talent and asserting it is her business to be a homemaker—not a puppet of the public. Franchot Tone plays the part of the domineering husband with fine restraint, making the character highly understandable as the counterpart of thousands of better halves who believe that a woman's place is in the home, but a man's is—well, anywhere he may choose to go. The second male lead is in the extremely capable hands of Tullio Carminati, who will be remembered for his exceptionally fine work in "Strictly Dishonourable" which had a run of 76 consecutive weeks in New York and also in "Music in the Air" which ran for over 50 weeks in the metropolis. Helen Westley, another Broadway favourite, more than does justice to the character of Mrs. Morris, lifelong friend and coach of the ambitious and aspiring wife. The Boswell sisters and Russ Columbo, radio favourites also contribute to the joy of the occasion.

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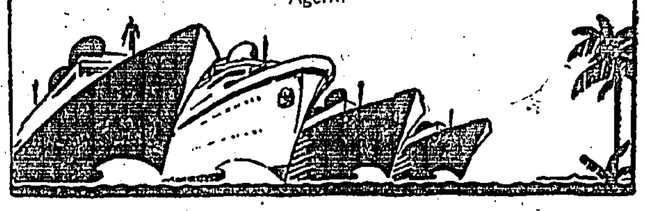

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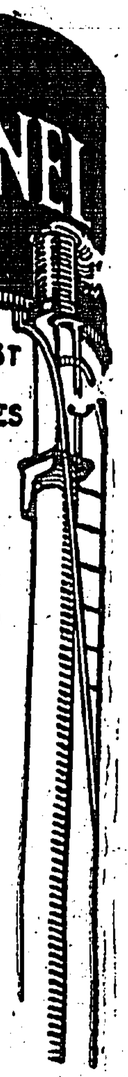

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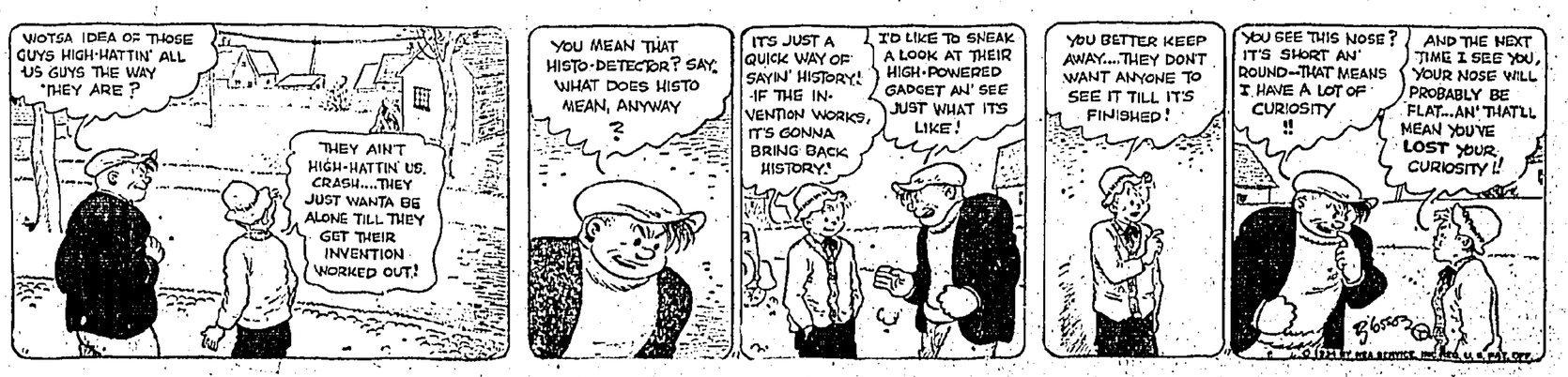

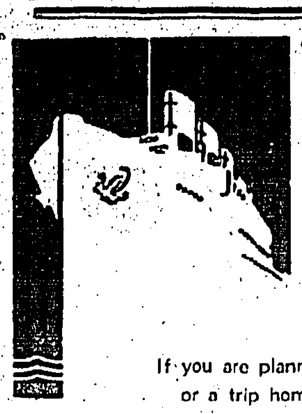

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July 15	July 22	Chenonceaux	July 26	July 31
July 29	Aug. 5	D'Artagnan	Aug. 9	Aug. 14
Aug. 12	Aug. 19	Athos II	Aug. 23	Aug. 28
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South finally decided that he did not wish to play the hand at diamonds, even though his partner might hold some of that suit—that he would prefer to try the hand at spades with the 150 honours, and with the five swings he could probably pick up any outstanding trump.

The diamond fit would only help him make his contract.

Over three spades, North should show his highest ace, and therefore bid four hearts. East doubles as a lead-director. He knows that the contract is not going to be played at hearts. However, it might be a good thing to tell his partner to lead a heart.

East might have tried his luck at five hearts, but against a three bid he could suffer a severe loss in rubber play, so he preferred to double.

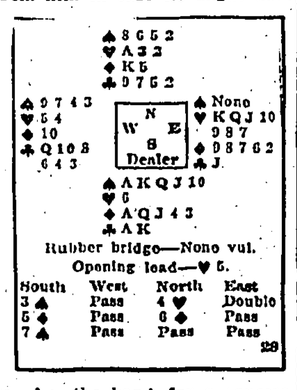
South's bid of five diamonds was made not because he had diamonds, but because he wanted to find out if his partner held the king of diamonds.

If not, he would simply bid five spades, but, holding the king of diamonds, he bid six diamonds. This apparently took care of all the losing cards for South, so he bid seven spades.

The Play

If West had opened the ten of diamonds, the contract could have been defeated, but due to the fact that his partner had doubled hearts, he led the five of hearts, which the declarer won in dummy with the ace. The three and deuce of hearts being in dummy, West was marked with not more than one heart—the four.

The declarer could see that the hand was a freak, and now decided to take West's only heart from him in case he might have



Rubber bridge—None vul.
Opening lead—♥ 5.

South	West	North	East
3 ♠	Pass	4 ♥	Double
5 ♦	Pass	6 ♦	Pass
7 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

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to play the hand for a squeeze. So he led the three of hearts and trumped with the ten of spades, West playing the four.

Declarer now laid down the ace, king, queen, and jack of spades, which picked up all the outstanding trump. East discarded the nine, ten, jack, and queen of hearts.

Declarer next led the ace and king of clubs. East played the jack of clubs, but on the next lead he was squeezed. He had to let go a diamond. If he let go the king of hearts, the duce in dummy would be good.

Declarer then played a small diamond to the king and came back to his own hand with a diamond, cashing the ace, queen, jack, and four of diamonds to make his contract.

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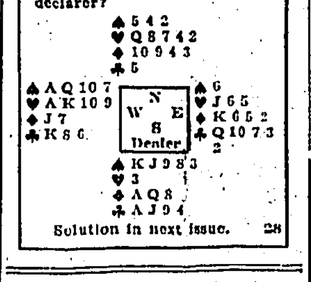
West has the contract at three no trump. South has bid spades and North opens a spade. The declarer attempts to establish clubs. North echoes in hearts and gets a heart return from South. When South wins with the queen of diamonds, he fails to cash his ace. Now can you see how a triple squeeze will make the contract for declarer?



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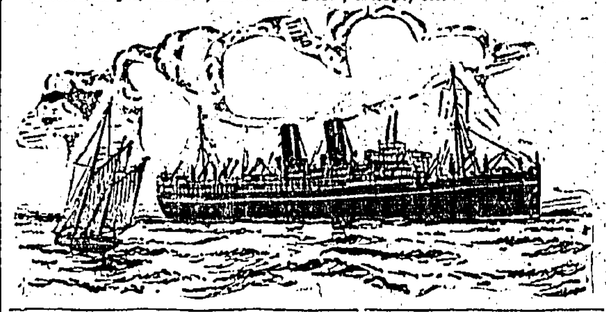

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Modern speed has made it possible for the Hongkong public to see pictures of the recent U. S. S. Fulton disaster in a Hearst Metrotone newsreel at the Queen's Theatre to-morrow.

The Fulton caught fire in Bias Bay on the night of March 14 and was abandoned. H.M.S. Wishart and the Butterfield and Swire steamer Tsinan brought the officers and crew into Hongkong. The Fulton was subsequently towed into Junk Bay and, on April 3, was towed to Manila where she was scrapped.

The Hearst newsreel depicts the Fulton as she lay in Junk Bay. The commentary explains that the fire broke out in the engine room while she was on anti-piracy patrol in Bias Bay. Pictures of the damage are depicted also repairs being carried out to the Wishart's bow. This is followed by a group photograph of the Fulton's crew.

Within three months the pictures have been sent to the United States, released with sound and commentary, and have been returned to the Far East.

GRAN CHACO WAR

PARAGUAYANS CLAIM VICTORY

Asuncion, May 31.

A Paraguayan victory is reported from Canada, strongest sector in the Gran Chaco region.

"We beat the Third Bolivian Division, and captured many prisoners and much war material. The enemy abandoned many corpses on the battlefield," states an official Paraguayan communique.—*Reuter.*

Geneva Meeting.

Geneva, May 31.

The Council of the Disarmament Conference will meet at 10.30 a.m. to-day to discuss the special commission's report on the Gran Chaco War, in the presence of the belligerents' representatives.—*Reuter.*

CREDIT SCHEME

ASSISTING INDUSTRY IN CHINA

Shanghai, May 31.

Reuter learns that the "China Development and Finance Corporation" has now been formed, it being of Chinese conception, capital and direction

The new Corporation, working in co-operation and in conjunction with Chinese banks and financial interests abroad will assist and collaborate in enterprises of a private and public nature designed for the development of commerce and industry, for which long-term credits are required.

It is understood that the Corporation will study the worth of any business proposition, and where suitable it will arrange the subscription of Chinese capital, singly or jointly, and follow through the development of each particular enterprise on behalf of those financially interested.

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PASSIONS OF WAR

MOULDERING IN TOMBS OF TIME

New York, May 31.

The historical battlefield of Gettysburg inspired President Roosevelt to fervent oratory during his Memorial Day address there to-day.

He hailed the birth of a new understanding among the American people and claimed that selfishness and sectionalism would have no place in the national life of the people.

"In the presence of the spirits of those who fell on this ground," he said, "we will give a renewed assurance that the passions of war are left mouldering in the tombs of time, and the purposes of peace are flowing in the hearts of a united people."—*Reuter.*

VAN EYSK PANEL

MILLION FRANCS ASKED BY THIEVES

Brussels, May 31.

An attempt has been made to obtain 1,000,000 francs in ransom for the Van Eyck panel stolen from the Cathedral at Ghent.

According to the *Independence Belge*, the Cathedral authorities at Ghent have received a letter enclosing a cloak-room ticket on which is written a message stating that the reverse side of the stolen panel is lying at a cloak-room in a Brussels railway station and the other half would be restored on payment of 1,000,000 francs.

The half panel was recovered from the cloak-room at Brussels, but was declared by Canon Van der Gheyn, of Ghent, to be a copy.—*Reuter.*

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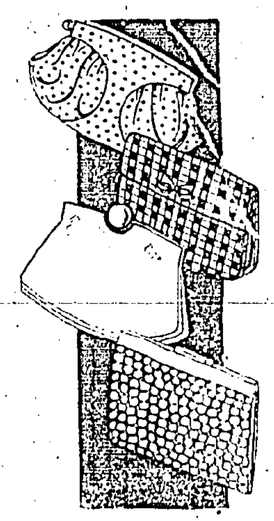

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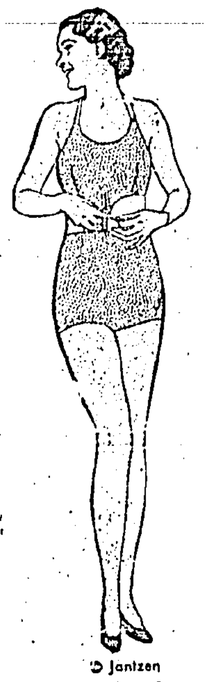

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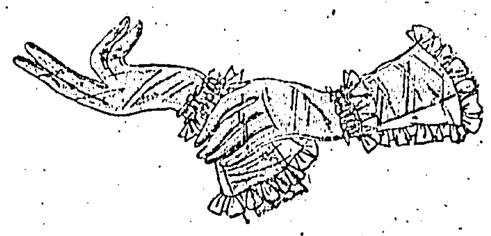

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SPECULATION

MOVEMENTS OF WORLD CURRENCY

London, May 31.

A migration of British speculative capital to Wall Street is afoot, the reason being that speculative investors are seeking to steal a march on the Stock Exchange Control Bill, the marginal requirements of which do not affect commitments outstanding prior to the promulgation of the Bill, until two years have elapsed.

This factor combined with the increased British purchases of American raw materials, the covering of purchases of dollars by British importers, the repatriation of American funds and the strength of wheat due to its present shortage, are all tending to weaken sterling in terms of dollars.

The weakness has been evident especially since fears of United States currency inflation have been removed and it is now being realised that the budget deficit will be considerably smaller that expected.

At the same time, since the return of confidence in the franc, withdrawals of French funds from London continue and it is now reported that the funds have reached a level which can no longer safely be reduced.

The combination of these factors has caused considerable pressure on sterling, which the Exchange Equalisation Fund is endeavouring to relieve by heavy sales of francs.—*Reuter.*

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WOMAN HELD FOR INQUIRIES

SERVANT'S STORY OF QUARREL

YOUNG MAN'S DEATH

A young Chinese woman is being held as a possibly important witness in inquiries the Police are conducting into the circumstances attending the death apparently by suicide of E. Grey, a young clerk employed by the China Light & Power Co. at Kowloon.

Grey, who is only 20 years of age, was removed from his Chee Wo Street home to the Kowloon Hospital yesterday afternoon in an acute condition from poisoning, and died at 8 p.m. last night.

When Grey returned to his home at 3 p.m. yesterday, he was accompanied by the young woman. A servant heard them quarelling, and sometime later, the young woman suddenly rushed from the room and went out to the street when she telephoned for an ambulance. Grey was in an unconscious condition when removed by the Police to the Hospital.

Several bottles of Lysol were found in his room.

FINANCIAL WORRY

WOMAN'S DEATH AT HOTEL

The failure of a colossal Money Loan Association involving liabilities variously estimated at between one and two lakhs, and in which she is believed to have been interested as one of the promoters, is understood to have led Miss Fung Ng Koo, aged 54, member of a very well-known local family, to take her life by poisoning yesterday.

She was discovered in a critical condition in her room at the Luk Kok Hotel at Gloucester Road, Wanchai, about noon yesterday, and died not long afterwards in Hospital without recovering consciousness. A bottle of Lysol found in the room was handed over to the Police.

On the previous evening, Miss Fung left her home at No. 46 Elgin Street, where she had been living with her mother, and went to the Luk Kok where she took a room on the seventh floor. Except for a parcel she brought no other luggage, and paid the deposit customarily required.

Late that night, without having left her room since her arrival, she ordered a substantial supper and dismissed the woman room attendant.

When the servant went in the following morning at about 8 a.m. to clean up the room, Miss Fung was in bed, apparently still sleeping, and the servant made no attempt to rouse her.

SERVANT ALARMED.

Later in the day when Miss Fung had not appeared, the servant became uneasy, and receiving no reply to a persistent knocking at the door, she summoned a room boy, and they opened the door with a duplicate key.

Miss Fung was in a precarious state when the Police were summoned. She was removed in an ambulance to the Government Civil Hospital, and died less than half an hour after admission.

Papers were left behind by the unfortunate lady revealing a premeditated act.

The funeral was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

RAZOR HARA-KIRI ATTEMPT.

With a razor, Chan Sang, aged 50, a type setter employed at the *South China Morning Post*, attempted hara-kiri by slashing himself across the stomach at his home at 18 Bridges Street, Taipingshan, at about one o'clock this morning.

So seriously did the man injure himself that there is not much hope for his recovery. He has been admitted to the Government Civil Hospital.

No motive for the attempted suicide has been given, but according to his relatives, Chan Sang has been suffering from an attack of high fever, which they believed to be typhoid.

PROGRESS OF THE SILVER BILL

Passed By House Of Representatives

Washington, May 31.

The House of Representatives to-day passed the Silver Bill, establishing the principle of the 25:75 ratio with gold, but giving the President discretionary powers for applicaton of he policy.—*Reuter.*

JOCKEY CLUB CAUGHT SHORT

NOT ENOUGH SWEEP TICKETS!

69,000 SOLD ON JULING H'CAP

The Jockey Club's decision to reduce the price of sweepstake tickets to one dollar has met with an amazing response. Up to 3 p.m. to-day, no fewer than 2,000 through tickets had been disposed of.

For the big sweep on the Juling Stakes, nearly 69,000 tickets have been sold.

There is a possibility that tickets on the first four races at to-morrow's Meeting may be difficult to obtain on the course, as only 2,500 on each of these races will be available.

For the fifth and sixth races, 3,000 tickets are being issued, whilst for the seventh race, the Juling Stakes, it is hoped to dispose of about 90,000.

In the last two races, arrangements are being made to have 10,000 tickets available in each event.

POLITICAL INTRIGUE DENIED

Salvador's Recognition of Manchukuo

(Special to "Telegraph")

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San Salvador, June 1.

The Foreign Minister of Salvador, Senor Araujo, to-day denied that political or commercial reasons were behind the decision to recognise Manchukuo.

He declared that no treaties with Manchukuo had been discussed, nor commercial agreements.

He had, however, instructed Salvador consuls everywhere actively to open markets for Salvador's coffee.—*United Press.*

FAIR TO SHOWERY

The anticyclone is now centred in the Pacific to the east of Japan. Pressure is relatively low over South China and the China Sea. Local forecast:—S.E. winds, moderate; fair to showery.

DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE ON VERGE OF COLLAPSE

NEW YORK SPY SCARE

TWO JAPANESE ARRESTED

EX-NAVAL MAN'S ALLEGATIONS

(Special to "Telegraph")

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New York, June 1.

Two Japanese have been arrested in New York on suspicion of espionage activities.

They are Kyonosuke Kiyoshi and Kaizo Okito and they appeared before the Federal Court here following charges by a former United States Bluejacket.

They were released on bail bond of U. S. $250 each, while the incident is being subjected to further investigation.

A man formerly in the Navy, recently returned to civilian life, named Solosky, told the Court that the two Japanese plied him with liquor and questioned him with the object of securing information about fleet manoeuvres.—*United Press.*

NEW U.S. CONSUL GENERAL

MR. C. L. HOOVER FOR HONGKONG

Mr. Charles Louis Hoover, at present Consul General for the United States at Amsterdam, has been appointed to succeed Mr. Douglas Jenkins, the Consul-General for Hongkong, who is being transferred to Berlin.

The announcement, which has just been made known, is welcomed by the local Consulate, as Mr. Hoover is a man of considerable experience in the service.

Born in July, 1872, at Oshaloosa, Iowa, Mr. Hoover has seen service in various capacities in the Philippines, Madrid, Carlsbad, Sao Paulo, Danzig, Batavia, and Amsterdam. In July, 1931, he was promoted to Class Two.

It it not known when the new Consul General will arrive but it is thought that it will be some time in July.

RELEASE OF S.W.B. PRIVATE

POLICE REACH A DECISION

No charge is being preferred against the private of the South Wales Borderers who has been detained since Wednesday afternoon in the course of investigations into the murder of Mohamed Din, Indian police guard.

The *Telegraph* was officially informed this afternoon that it had been decided to order his release almost immediately.

OFFICER CLASS OF POLICE

PRINCE OPENS NEW COLLEGE

London, May 31.

The Metropolitan Police College, which has been established at Hendon for the training of the officer class of the Police Force, was formally opened this afternoon by the Prince of Wales.

The Prince said the College was a development in which he was greatly interested, as he knew the need for higher training in the Police Force has been exercising the minds of the police authorities and the police themselves for some years past.—*British Wireless.*

Lew Cody, the popular film star, who died last night in his sleep, according to a United Press message.

LEW CODY FOUND DEAD

BELIEVED DUE TO HEART FAILURE

FAMOUS SCREEN VILLAIN

Hollywood, June 1.

Lew Cody, the famous film villain, was found dead at his Californian home last night.

Death was apparently due to heart failure.

He was forty-nine years of age. He has been a leading personality in the motion picture world since 1915, when he played as leading man to Bessie Barriscale in "Mating" under the direction of Thomas Ince.

His first appearance on the talking screen was in support of Gloria Swanson in "What a Widow!"

Born as Lewis Joseph Cote in New Hampshire, the son of a well-to-do merchant, Cody studied medicine at McGill but soon gave up medical practice for the theatre, becoming well-known as a stage player.

He had the reputation of being the finest after-dinner speaker in Hollywood.—*Reuter.*

JAPAN'S POLICY IN CHINA

MR. ARIYOSHI CALLS A CONFERENCE

Shanghai, June 1.

A conference suddenly summoned by Mr. Ariyoshi, Japanese Minister to China, at his residence late last night is causing speculation. It is believed that he read new instructions from the Japanese Foreign Office at the conference.—*Central News.*

RUBBER PRICE INCREASES

TEN PER CENT. ON ALL MANUFACTURERS

London, June 1.

The Institute of Rubber Manufacturers Associations has reported an increase in the price of all rubber articles by ten per cent.

The rubber restriction scheme is being enforced in Colombo as from to-day.—*Reuter.*

ANOTHER POCKET BATTLESHIP

TO BE LAUNCHED AT END OF JUNE

Berlin, June 1.

Germany's third "pocket-battleship," a warship of ten thousand tons armed with eleven-inch guns, will be launched on June 30.—*Reuter.*

TO-DAY TO BE DECISIVE

NEUTRALS TO BID FOR COMPROMISE

ANGLO-FRENCH CLEAVAGE

Geneva, June 1.

Excitement following the clash between Sir John Simon and M. Barthou, seeming to destroy all prospect of Anglo-French harmony, has not subsided.

To-day will probably be decisive as regards the life of the Disarmament Conference.

The wildest uncertainty prevails, though it is generally believed that an adjournment is the only practical solution of the crisis.

As an heroic effort to bridge the wide gap in the British and French attitudes, both the Spanish and Swedish delegates will advocate, with modifications, the acceptance of the so-called "Neutrals' Memorandum."

IMMEDIATE MEASURES.

This proposes, among other things, immediate measures to prevent the aggravation of the existing situation and the unconditional prohibition of aerial bombardment, together with a substantial amount of disarmament, involving moderate but practical realisation of the principle of equality of rights.

In an exclusive interview with Reuter yesterday evening, Mr. Arthur Henderson, President of the Conference, admitted that the situation has never been more critical in the two and a half years since the Conference began.

WELL-NIGH HOPELESS.

"Unless there is a speedy transformation, it must become hopeless."

The situation is such that the delegations are all showing extreme reserve in regard to declaring their position.

The discussions may end at the next sitting of the General Commissions, which is meeting this afternoon.—*Reuter.*

TAIMOSHAN CREW HONOURED

KING'S MESSAGE OF CONGRATULATION

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Dartmouth, June 1.

A message of congratulation from His Majesty the King was received by Lieut. Commander Sherwood and his colleagues on board the Hongkong yacht "Taimoshan," on their arrival from Plymouth to-day.—*United Press.*

MONSTER TRIAL OF COMMUNISTS

Alleged High Treason at Breslau

Breslau, May 31.

A monster trial of a hundred and eleven Silesian Communists has been opened here.

The charge is one of high treason and is based on allegations that they were organising armed resistance to Nazi-ism. If convicted they are liable to be beheaded.—*Reuter.*

MUSSOLINI GIVES WARNING

SCHOOL CHILDREN INJURED

Mad Rush Caused By Excitement

Chicago, May 31.

Twenty-five were injured when a school holiday party of about a thousand children visiting the Century of Progress Exhibition made a mad rush for the turnstiles.—*Reuter.*

AMERICAN FLEET ON PARADE

GRAND REVIEW AT NEW YORK

MILLIONS LINE WATERFRONT

(Special to "Telegraph")

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New York, May 31.

Millions of New Yorkers lined the waterfront to-day to watch the United States fleet pass in review before President Roosevelt, who watched from the deck of the flagship, the U. S. S. Pennsylvania.

It was the most remarkable naval spectacle seen in the United States in time of peace, more than a hundred warships passing up the North River in column, with scores of aeroplanes zooming overhead.

Over 3,700 officers and 44,000 men were aboard the ships, many of them seeing New York for the first time for years, having spent a considerable period in Pacific waters.

FIRST SINCE WAR.

It was the first fleet review in New York since December, 1918, when Mr. Josephus Daniels, Navy Secretary, welcomed the fleet back from the World War.

In addition to the submarines and destroyers, the great display of America's naval might included the following ships:

Battleships.—Pennsylvania, California, West Virginia, Tennessee, Colorado, Maryland, Nevada, Texas, New York, Arkansas, New Mexico and Mississippi.

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FLIGHT RECORD ACHIEVEMENT

AIRMAN AWARDED GRAND PRIX

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Paris, May 31.

The Grand Prix for 1933 of the Academie des Sports, amounting to Fr. 25,000, has been awarded to the French airmen, Codos and Rossi, who flew from Paris to New York earlier this week.

The award was made in recognition of their record nonstop long-distance flight of 5,653 miles from New York to Rayak, Syria, in August last year.—*Reuter Special.*

CUBAN TREATY RATIFIED

Washington, May 31.

The senate has ratified the new Treaty with Cuba, which renounces America's right of intervention.—*Reuter.*

KEEPING EYE ON FAR EAST

JAPANESE POLICY "DANGEROUS"

AN INSPIRED STATEMENT

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Rome, June 1.

Employing unofficial channels, the Italian Government has given a hint to Japan that a careful watch will be kept over developments emerging from the recent Japanese hegemony statement.

An inspired statement appearing in the Italian newspapers to-day says that following the visit of the Italian Ambassador, Signor Murlti, to the Japanese Foreign Office, asking the Japanese Government for an explanation of the "Hands off China!" declaration of April 17,

"Italy notes Mr. Hirota's "assurance of Japanese determination to respect existing "treaties, but while expressing "great admiration for the "people feels it a duty to tell "Japan frankly that a policy "of monopolising China "would be dangerous ....."

Italy's attitude to China, the statement continues, is based upon civil solidarity with a view to securing beneficial results for China and world peace."—*United Press.*

CANTON FORGERY SCANDAL

OFFICIALS INVOLVED BY ALLEGATIONS

Canton, June 1.

Another big scandal threatens here following a raid carried out on Tuesday at the New Bund, where a big organisation is alleged to have engaged in forging Government documents, title deeds, security notes and even official seals.

Five persons were arrested on the premises on Tuesday and the Canton police made three more arrests last night at another place. It is stated that these are staff members of a certain department of the Canton Municipal Government suspected of connection with the illegal organisation.

According to high official in Canton, the affair has wide ramifications and may possibly involve officials in the Canton Municipal Government.

It is feared that investigation will reveal many cases of duplication of title deeds registered with the Land Department. It is also believed that properties in Canton have "changed ownership" by means of forged title deeds without the knowledge of genuine owners.—*Central News.*

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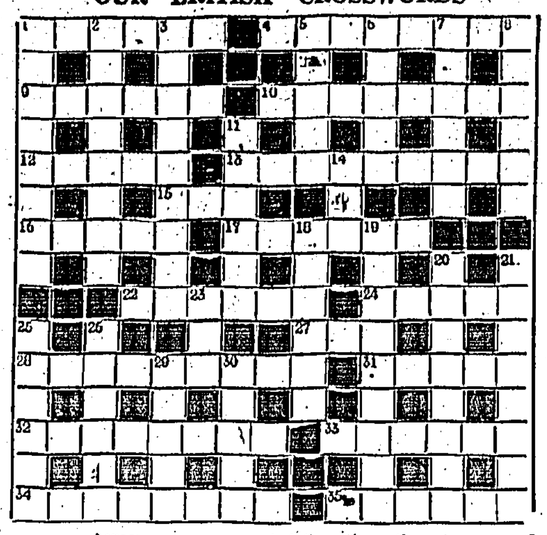

Across

1 The sailor starts to recant, and then.
4 the fellow goes on to curse us in a High Court writ.
9 Tithes paid by Scots.
10 Smallest details.
12 To stop an obstacle when the rent is added.
13 If one may trust one's ears this noisy fellow has swallowed a shell fish.
15 One returned as suitable for renomination.
16 Terra——
17 Fiction character of proverbial duplicity.
22 In this, for example, you get a position.
24 This may be considered before 3, or it may be a round one.
27 A typical Easterner—sometimes dressed in printed cotton.
28 Get abroad in a devious way, for it may be done away with, and
31 this clue is the same, as they say abroad, to put an end to it.
32 Falls that overwhelm the scoundrel amid the boxes.
33 The first person in Paris before June will find it lacking in interest.
34 As newspaper men they are bound to have push.
35 Quite evidently it is no sign of disagreement to give it in the manner transmitted.

Down

1 An "Act of Faith" ceremonial of the Spanish Inquisition (hyphens).
2 Something for dinner on the bank of the river as a marriage settlement.
3 Be starred (anag.).
5 You may plead that you weren't there, but 27 couldn't.
6 "——thou the stars are fire; . . . But never——I love. ("Hamlet.")
7 A French master.
8 Is turned by mistake in a mountain range.
11 Proverbially a good worker for the car.
14 This is above your heads.
18 Works under pressure to the sound of our requirements.
19 Run slides (anag.).
20 It is rather difficult to understand, but the sea burst in here.
21 Not in the least polite in Southampton waters.
23 Exemplified in this puzzle with 20.
25 Sounds suitable headgear for the devil-may-care.
26 French resort reminiscent of sweet odours.
29 Puts an end to urgent messages.
30 The ones here are endless theories, obviously.

Yesterday's Solution

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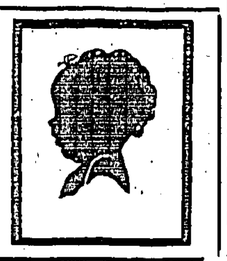

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YOUR CHILDREN.

Don't Make Child An Experiment

By Olive Roberts Barton.

The air to-day is a chorus of big words as hard to understand as the "Sextet" from Lucia, with everybody singing different lines at once. And in another language.

Little wonder, then, that women begin to shrink from having children, those Chinese puzzles that operate with "conditioning," "impulses," "complexes," "inhibitions," "conflicts" and fixations." Less wonder still, a baby once produced, his parents spend sleepless nights figuring what to do with this Frankenstein who is sure to run amuck unless they study psychology and practice it—which looks to them like tackling all the ancient language on the Rosetta stone.

Truths From Psychology

Psychology is an interesting study, particularly the New Psychology, but in the abstract it is of no great use to the average man or woman, because it is involved and easily misunderstood, and offers many problems that even the greatest scientists have not mastered. Abstract psychology in itself is of no tremendous use in every day life.

However, fortunately, we have a certain solution in the fact that behaviourists have sifted its simpler and more practical truths, applied them to children and have turned out something of decided help.

I not only suggest that every mother possess, if possible, a good book on child problems, but urge it. It makes fascinating reading and she is bound to pick up many points that will be of help. What I warn against is that no book on earth will take the place of gentle home life, love, and a normal existence for the child.

To make him an experiment, a microbe on a plate, a problem in angles, or a curious fish, is just about the worst thing in the world except one. To let him know it.

Mothers have been good mothers since the world began. They did it without books or charts. And the home went on. We must never forget that inalienable instinct of the sensible mother to do the right thing at the right time, and for the most part mothers have been pretty sensible.

Taking Sensible Attitude

If parents are not naturally sensible all the phychology on earth won't help them with their children. It will only be one more weapon for misuse. It takes sense to back the simpler truths of character science just as it took sense to use the best in tradition. In other words, a little knowledge is a dangerous thing and half-baked knowledge still worse.

All parents make mistakes. They make them mostly by thinking of a child as an adult.

By enlarging their own horizon they will learn that all mental and character processes must grow, and in the growing manifest themselves in various and sometimes unfortunate ways—to our way of thinking. They will be more interested and understanding. Child training is not a fad. It is more than a hobby.

Let not big words discourage you. These are few in number and simple in meaning. The involved processes of the mind can never hope to be thoroughly understood by the laymen—it takes years to turn out a specialist and still the mind retains many of its secrets. But a general idea of the dangers of certain childhood experiences is a splendid equipment for all parents.

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DELICIOUS DESSERTS

Can Be Made With Eggs

When meat is off the menu desserts made with eggs are most acceptable. Such desserts are high in food value and contribute protein to a marked degree. It is only when the dinner is light in food value that a pudding rich in milk and eggs is suitable.

Custard pie is a universal favourite, but baked custards are rather more desirable when there are small children in the family. The same variety in flavour can be achieved in the baked custard as in the custard pie.

A perfectly made caramel custard is one of the most delicious desserts in the cook's repertoire and in a season when eggs are cheap she certainly is justified in serving it often.

Caramel Custard

Two cups milk, 3 eggs, 3-4 cup sugar, 1-4 teaspoon salt, 1-4 teaspoon vanilla.

Scald milk. Melt sugar in an iron frying pan until a light brown syrup. Stir sugar constantly while melting. Pour about half the caramel into the pudding mold, turning mold rapidly to coat entire surface. Add scalded milk to remaining caramel and cook and stir until melted. Remove at once from the fire and gradually add to eggs slightly beaten. Add salt and vanilla and pour into prepared mold.

Place mold in a pan of hot water and bake in a moderate oven. Be sure that the water does not boil during the baking. Test by inserting the point of a silver knife in the centre of the custard. If the knife comes out clean the custard is done. It takes about 50 minutes to bake a large custard. Individual custards will bake in 30 minutes.

When the custard is cold unmold onto a chilled serving dish. The caramel will run down over the mold and form a sauce around it.

Floating Island

This is another excellent dessert that is nourishing and delicious.

Two cups scalded milk, 3 eggs, 2-3 cup granulated sugar, 1-4 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Beat yolks of eggs slightly with half the sugar and half the salt. Stir constantly while adding scalded milk. Cook over boiling water, stirring until mixture coats the spoon. Remove at once from heat and strain if not perfectly smooth. Chill and beat in half the vanilla. Beat whites of eggs with 1 tablespoon cold water and remaining sugar, 2 tablespoonfuls at a time. Flavour with vanila and drop from tip of spoon over the "boiled" custard which has been poured into a chilled serving dish. Serve very cold.

The custard can be served in individual glasses with an "island" of the egg whites topping each glass. A cube of jelly or a cherry dropped in the centre of each island makes an inviting garnish.

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Major General F. H. Kelly was appointed G. O. C. of the China Command.

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The annual report of Messrs. A. S. Watson and Co., Ltd., showed net profits totalling $83,590. A dividend of six per cent. was recommended.

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In the Interport Rifle Shoot, Shanghai scored 952, Singapore 931 and Hongkong 893.

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It was announced that the Government were making a grant of $45,000 to the Hongkong Tramway Co. as compensation for loss suffered by the boycott of tramcars consequent on the Company's decision to accept only legal currency of the Colony in payment of fares.

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The name of Dr. A.L.E.F. Coleman was added to the list of medical practitioners.

MARRIED FLIRTS

(Continued from Page 3.)

put silver and china away in cupboards, folded the cloth. Without a word she left him, scrubbed, brushed and bathed meticulously. She told herself her heart was quite, quite dead. And she had been feeling so soft, so utterly dependent on Tom just before. She had thought, as that dreadful trolley car ploughed homeward, she would tell Tom all about her work in Marko's library and how she had managed to buy the Christmas watch. She had decided that there should be no secrets between them. It made her so unhappy not to share everything, good and bad, with him.

Now everything was changed—everything, she told herself passionately. Tom had betrayed her trust. He had not only forgotten her completely, he had lost money that belonged to them both. She had worked for it, as well as he. There was simply no justice in it. Deliberately she closed her eyes to his possible motives. The facts were these: he had been drinking and gambling all day, while she had been pulling her weight in the boat.

Nothing, said Gypsy, would ever be the same again. Tom slept on the daybed that night. She locked her door against him.

(To Be Continued.)

Keeping Well In The Heat.

The only sure way to keep well is to make certain of the regular daily elimination of waste matter from the system for it is in the congested food tract that the germs of disease flourish.

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Married Flirts

by MABEL McELLIOTT

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

GYPSY MORELL and TOM WEAVER are married the same day as LILA HOTALING and live in luxury, while Gypsy intends to go on with her job, teaching in a settlement school.

After returning from her honeymoon in Europe Lila invites the Weavers to dinner. Among the guests is wealthy MARKO BROUGHTON, who once asked Gypsy to marry him. He showers her with attentions which she accepts because she is jealous of Tom's interest in HILDA BLANCHARD. After the party Tom and Gypsy quarrel, but peace is later restored.

Shopping for Christmas, Gypsy meets Broughton who offers her a job cataloguing his library and gives her an advance payment of $50. She uses the money to buy Tom's Christmas present, a watch.

Tom and Gypsy spend Christmas at the Morell home. Throughout the gaiety Gypsy is troubled by the fact that Tom does not know about her work for Broughton and that if he knew he would be sure to disapprove.

CHAPTER XIV

Mrs. Weaver was expected, Mr. Broughton's man-servant said, quietly. There was something about his matter-of-factness that calmed Gypsy's nerves. Of course it was all right! Why shouldn't she work for Marko? He knew she had dabbled in library work before she had gone into the Settlement.

What she had expected, exactly, in the way of a reception, she could not say. Only this quiet, high-ceiled room, with its dark Bokhara rugs, its wood panelling, its shelf on shelf of volumes, was distinctly reassuring. She gave the man her hat and coat and gloves. She ran her hand over her unruly curls. Gypsy looked rather like a little girl to-day in her dark green jersey frock with its demure white collar. Then she forgot herself, her surroundings, her nervousness, in the serious business of her task.

It was fascinating — Marko's books themselves were that! She lost herself in the absorbing work. She climbed the ladder a dozen times. She sat at the typewriter the man had disclosed, cleverly hidden in one corner of the mammoth walnut desk. She listed and rubbed out and listed again.

And the light waned, the lamps were snapped on by an unseen hand, and still Gypsy worked unnoticing.

She was aroused by a footfall on the deep rugs. Looking up, startled at the interruption, she saw Marko.

"My dear child!" His gentle tone betokened surprise, and Gypsy flushed.

"I quite forgot the time," Gypsy stammered, her eyes on the crystal clock face nearby. It was half past five! And she had meant to leave at five at the very latest. She had said something casual to Tom about shopping. But she had meant to be home early enough to get dinner. Dinah was "off" tonight. Now she would be too late.

"Ah, you mustn't run away like this," Marko protested, mildly. "Bates will shake us up a cocktail . . . or you may have tea, if you'd prefer."

Gypsy's one thought was to rush away, to get back to the apartment. Yet she didn't want to offend Marko. She said something vague about a dinner engagement.

"Oh, quite, quite," drawled Marko, "Another time, perhaps."

He wasn't in the least the satyr type, Gypsy reflected, pulling on her little hat. He was just kind, friendly, generous. She would have to have an understanding with him about the $50 though. They would have to come to some entirely businesslike arrangement.

But when she spoke of this, Marko waved it aside. "Nonsense," he boomed. "That was merely a retainer. If you do the work as well as I know you will, that amount will only be a drop in the bucket."

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He saw her to the door, pressing her hand gently. She was a treat to any one's eyes, he told her fulsomely. She quite lightened up his lonely home. But then everybody knew Marko's gallantries. They were just the casual coin of every day. He was like that to everyone!

Gypsy rode down in the elevator with the sense of being released. She must rush home to Tom now, inventing an excuse for her late return.

She took a trolley bound southward and it seemed fairly to crawl, stopping at every corner, starting again with painful jerks. Gypsy's nerves were taut. At last she alighted at her own corner and turned east. A sharp wind was blowing up from the river and she shivered, buffeting it with her slim figure. She tried vainly to determine whether or not her own apartment windows were lighted but in the darkness she could not be sure. She was conscious now of an intense fatigue, sharpened by her growing sense of nervousness.

Reluctantly she inserted her key in the lock. Was Tom home? And if so, what was she going to say to him?

But the door swung into a darkened room. Gypsy drew a long breath of relief. Doubtless he'd been kept at the office. There was a good deal of extra work now, making up contracts for the new year. But if that was the case, he'd probably been trying to telephone her all afternoon to let her know.

She switched on the alabaster lamp on the drop-leaf table and stood, irresolute, for a moment. What to do now? Should she wait and see what Tom's plans for the evening were: or should she telephone the grocer at once and order things for a late dinner? She decided on the latter course and, with a kind of wild reaction after her needless fears of awkward explanations, rushed out, setting the table, making everything gay and fresh against his return.

The clock struck seven. The grocer's boy, bearing chops and vegetables and materials for salad, had come and gone. Now it was half past seven. It was eight. And still no Tom. Gypsy's mood of exultant relief waned—changed to indignation, to apprehension. It was utterly unlike him not to telephone her. Something must have happened—something dreadful. She could see him lying somewhere, the victim of a reckless driver. Her Tom, hurt, dying, perhaps!

She put the food back in the ice-box. She had thought she was hungry, but now the very thought of food sickened her. She went to the telephone and with trembling fingers dialed the number of his office. As she had expected, there was no answer. Of course, no one was working at this hour.

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The moments lagged by. Nine o'clock. Half past. Ten. At five minutes past ten when Gypsy, almost ill with worry, paced the floor of the living room, Tom's key was inserted and the door swung wide.

Gypsy ran to greet him. "Darling, wherever have you been? I've been so worried . . ."

She stopped. Tom looked so strange. He strode past her. His eyes were glazed. He was pale Her heart plunged, her throat thickened. Had he heard, then? Did he know about her pact with Marko?

She was stricken into silence. What an utter fool she had been, not to tell him at the start. Nothing more innocent than her afternoon's adventure could possibly be imagined.

But Tom's first words dispelled at least a little of her fears.

"Sorry, dearest," he said dully, and then stopped. Gypsy stared at him curiously. How strange his voice was, and how odd he looked! His overcoat was soiled, too. It looked as if it had been in contact with the pavement.

"Were you hurt, darling?" she prompted. "I've been simply frantic. I was just on the point of calling the hospitals . . ."

He said, in that unfamiliar, dragging voice, that he wasn't hurt—what gave her the idea?—but he'd been detained.

"Unavoidably detained," said Tom with dignity.

Struck by a new, stabbing suspicion, Gypsy gazed at him. Was he—no, he couldn't be drunk! Tom never drank to excess.

"We went to Simms' Club," he said slowly. "We were playing cards. We got to talking. 'Frnid I didn't notice the time."

"And all the time I was worrying, eating my heart out, frightened to death," Gypsy said with indignation. "Oh, Tom, how could you?"

She was wounded past bearing. This was an unfamiliar person who sat there in her pleasant living room. She just didn't know him. Forgotten was her relief a few hours before, on discovering she had reached home before him. All other emotions were swallowed up in a desperate fury at his callous indifference to her feelings. And poker! Tom knew he couldn't afford to play cards with Simms and his crowd. He had virtually promised to give it up, long before their marriage.

"You lost!" she accused with icy calm. "Oh, Tom, you lost. didn't you?

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He nodded, dully, his eyes on his linked fingers. Of course he had lost. He felt a slow, dull sort of indignation at her for having guessed. Why else should he have stayed so late, except that he hoped to win back what had gone before?

Gypsy sat down on one end of the daybed. She felt sick. She felt beaten. To try so hard to get ahead, to work and plan and save so anxiously, and then to have Tom behave like this—it was past bearing!

She shook her head, dumb with the injustice of it. Tom looked at her with a gray face. If he hadn't let Simms fill his glass so often, he'd explain to Gypsy now, tell her just why it was he wanted that extra money. It was for her—for her alone!

But Gypsy's face was cold, still, closed to him. Without a word, she stripped the gaily laid table,

(Continued on Page 2.)

The Sultan of Johore, shown with his Scottish wife, as they arrived in San Francisco for an extended American tour.

The dentist at the Zoo. This is an occupation suitable for those accustomed to it.

The latest water sport is "Aqua-ball" which is played nearly in the same manner as basket-ball.

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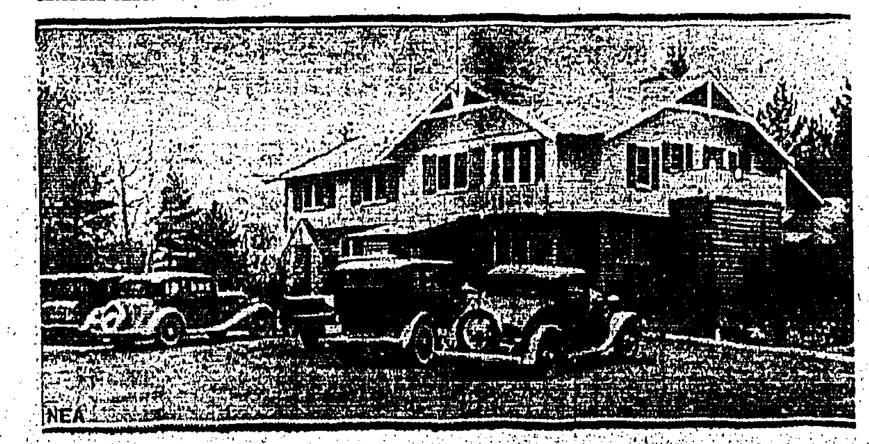

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The Directors' report and statement of accounts for the year ended April 30, 1934, is as follows:

The net profit for the twelve months, after deducting directors' fees and general managers' remuneration, and making provision for depreciation amounts to $41,260.09. The balance brought forward from last account amounts to $12,465.03; making available for appropriation $53,725.12.

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Directors.

Mr. R. Gordon and Mr. H. Kadoorie resigned from the Board during the year and Mr. A. B. Stewart and Mr. L. Kadoorie were invited to fill the vacancies.

In accordance with Rule 95 (a) of the Articles of Association, the present members, Sir Robert Ho Tung, Mr. J. Scott Harston, Hon. Mr. C. Gordon Mackie, Mr. A. B. Stewart and Mr. L. Kadoorie retire, but being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.

Auditors.

The accounts were audited by Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews and Messrs. Linstead and Davis, who offer themselves for re-election.

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LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuter.

Chinese Bonds.	May 30.	May 31.
4½% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.)	£101	£101
4½% Loan 1908	£ 92	£ 92
5% Loan 1912	£ 70	£ 70
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 92½	£ 92½
5% Bonds 1925-47	£ 88½	£ 88½
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	£ 68	£ 68
5% Tient.-Pukow Rly.	£ 36	£ 36
5% Tient.-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)	£ 26½	£ 26½
5% S'hai-H'chow-Ningpo Rly.	£ 99	£ 99
5% Honan Rly.	£ 28	£ 28
5% Hukuang Rly. 1911	£ 39½	£ 39½
5% Lung Tsing U. Hai Rly. 1913	£ 15½	£ 15½
Foreign Bonds and Banks.		
German 7% Int. Loan 1924	74½	69½
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	£ 74	£ 74½
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 87	£ 87½
H.K. & S'hai Bk. (Ldn. Regd.)	£131	£131
Chartd. Bk. £5 sh.	£ 16	£ 16¼
Industrials and Breweries.		
Associated Elec. Industries	17/3	17/3
Brit.-Amer. Tob. (Bearer)	120/-	120/-
Chinese Eng. and Min. (Bearer)	21/3	20/6
Tate and Lyle	90/6	90/9
Courtaulds	49/9	49/4½
Distillers	89/9	89/6
Dunlop Rubber	47/-	47/4½
Eveready 5/- sh.	29/4½	29/3
General Electric (England)	40/9	40/6
Boots	44/-	43/9
Impl. Chem Ind.	34/6	34/7½
Impl. Chem Ind. Def. 10/- sh.	8/10½	8/10½
Impl. Tobacco	125/9	125/4½
Woolworths	98/-	98/-
Internat. Nickel no par val	$ 26	$ 25½
Pinchin Johnson 10/- sh.	37/9	37/6
Turner and Newall	46/-	46/6
Unilever	24/-	23/9
Miscellaneous		
Anglo-Dutch	24/6	25/3
Burma Corpn. Rs. 10	13/3	13/3
Canadian Pacific Rly. $25 sh.	$ 15½	$ 15⅝
Chartd. 15/- sh. (Bearer)	24/4½	24/4½
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	23/3	23/1½
Trepca Mines	12/10½	12/10½
Langlaagte Estates	36/-	36/-
London Tin 10/- sh.	14/3	13/6
Pekin Synd 2/- ord. sh.	3/-	3/-
Rubber Trusts	31/6	32/3
S'hai Elec. Constr.	53/-	53/-
Van Ryn Deep	65/-	65/7½
Elec. Musical Industries	32/-	31/3
Oils.		
Anglo-Persian Oil	47/6	48/1½
Burma Oil	104/4½	104/4½
Southern Railway (Deferred)	24/6	24/-
Royal Dutch 100 fl. sh.	£ 20⅝	£ 20½
Shell Trans and Trad. (Bearer)	48/9	49/4½
Geldenhuis	31/10½	31/10½
Crown Mines	247/6	250/-

"TELEGRAPH" ART SUPPLEMENT

To-morrow's Picture Features

There will be an interesting array of topical pictures in to-morrow's issue of the *Telegraph* Pictorial Supplement.

Groups taken at the Po Leung Kuk and the new Tung Wah Hospital will be shown, as well as others of the 13th Hongkong Group of the Boy Scouts, the Yeung Chung Girls' School, staff and pupils of the Peak School, and revolver teams of the Canton Police and the Chinese Company of the Hongkong Police Reserve.

There will be photographs illustrating the work of the N. T. Agricultural Association amongst schoolboys at Castle Peak, and pictures showing progress with the Shing Mun waterworks scheme and anti-malarial measures in this locality.

Photos taken at the wedding of Mr. A. O. Hyland and Miss Phyllis Capell will also appear.

WATER LEVELS.

FOR WEST, NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province notifies that the height of water in English feet in the West, North and East Rivers is as follows:

	May 30.	May 31.
West River at Shiuhing	6.3	5.7
North River at Tsing-yuen	7.3	6.6
North River at Samshui	2.8	2.2
East River at Sheklung	0.7	0.4

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SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day.

Banks.
H.K. Banks, $1867½ n.
H.K. Bank (London), £131 n.
Chartered Bank, £16¼ n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. £28 n.
Mercantile Bank C., £15 n.
East Asia Bank, $93 s.
Am: O. Finance Corp., Sh. $20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. $4 n.
China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. $5 n.

Insurances
Canton Ins., $300 n.
Union Ins., $582½ n.
China Underwriters, $1¼ n.
China Fire, $510 n.
H.K. Fire In., $250 n.
International Assce, $6 n.

Shipping
Douglas, $41 sa.
H.K. Steamboats, $9 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Pref.), $30 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Def.), $33 n.
Shells (Bearer), 49/4½ n.
Union Waterboats, $11.10 n.

Mining
Antamoks, 69 cts b.
Balatocs, $33½ n.
Baguio Gold, 33 cts b.
Benguets, $32¾ n.
Benguet Exploration, 18 cts. n.
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.
Big Wedge, 12cts n.
Gold Creek $9½ n.
Gold River, 29 cts. n.
Ipo Mining, $4 n.
Itogons, $7 n.
Kailan, 21/3 n
Langkats (Single), $18½ n.
S'hai Explorations, Sh. $4.80 n.
S'hai Loans, $5¾ n.
Raubs, $15½ n.
Venz: Goldfield, $7 n.

Docks, etc.
H.K. Wharves, $104¾ b.
H.K. Docks, $15 n.
S. China Motors A., $2 n.
S. China Motors B., $8 n.
Providents (old), $1.85 b.
Providents (new), 75 cts. n.
Hongkews, Sh. $350 n.
New Engineerings, Sh. $5.20 n.
Shanghai Docks, $133 n.

Cotton Mills.
Ewo Cottons, Sh. $11 b.
S'hai Cottons, (old), Sh. $75 n.
S'hai Cottons (new), Sh. $43 n.
Zoong Sings, Sh. $13½ n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. $55 n.

Lands, Hotels etc.
H. and S. Hotels, $6 n.
H.K. Lands, $60¾ n.
S'hai Lands, Sh. $25 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. $14 n.
Humphreys, $11.20 n.
H.K. Realties, $5.15 b.
Asia Realties "A" Sh. $140 n.
Asia Realties "B" Sh. $20 n.
Chinese Estates, $80 n.
China Realties, Sh. $15½ n.
China Debenture, Sh.$137 n

Public Utilities.
Tramway, $21¼ b.
Peak Trams (new), $7¾ n.
Peak Trams (new), $7¾ n.
Star Ferries (old), $100 n.
Yaumati Ferries, $22½ n.
C. Lights (old), $8.80 b.
C. Lights (new), $8¾ n.
H.K. Electrics, $73/73.15 sa.
Macao Electrics, $25 b.
Sandakan Lights, $8 n.
Telephones (old), $25¼ sa.
Telephones (new), $12.60 n.
China Buses, Sh. $13.20 n.
Singapore Tractions, 5/- n.
Singapore Pref., 16/10½ n.

Industrials.
Malabon Sugars, $12 n.
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. $21 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), $19¼ n.
Canton Ices, $2.70 n.
Cements (new), $2.60 s.
H.K. Ropes, $5½ s.

Stores, etc
Dairy Farms, $26½ n.
Watsons, $6¼ n.
Dor A Wings, $1 n.
Lane Crawfords, $4.30 b.
Mackintoshs, $21 n.
Sinceres, $9½ n.
Wm. Powells, 80 cts. s.
Wing On (H.K.), $120 n.

Miscellaneous.
Amusements, $4 n.
H.K. Entainments, $7½ n.
S.C. Enterprises, $1½ n.
United Theatres, Sh. $2 n.
Macao "Greyhounds," $2 n.
Constructions (old), $1.60 b.
Constructions (new), 70 cts. b
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G.$ Bonds 87¼% n.
H.K. Govt. Loan 8½% b. prem.
Wallace Harpers, $8 n.

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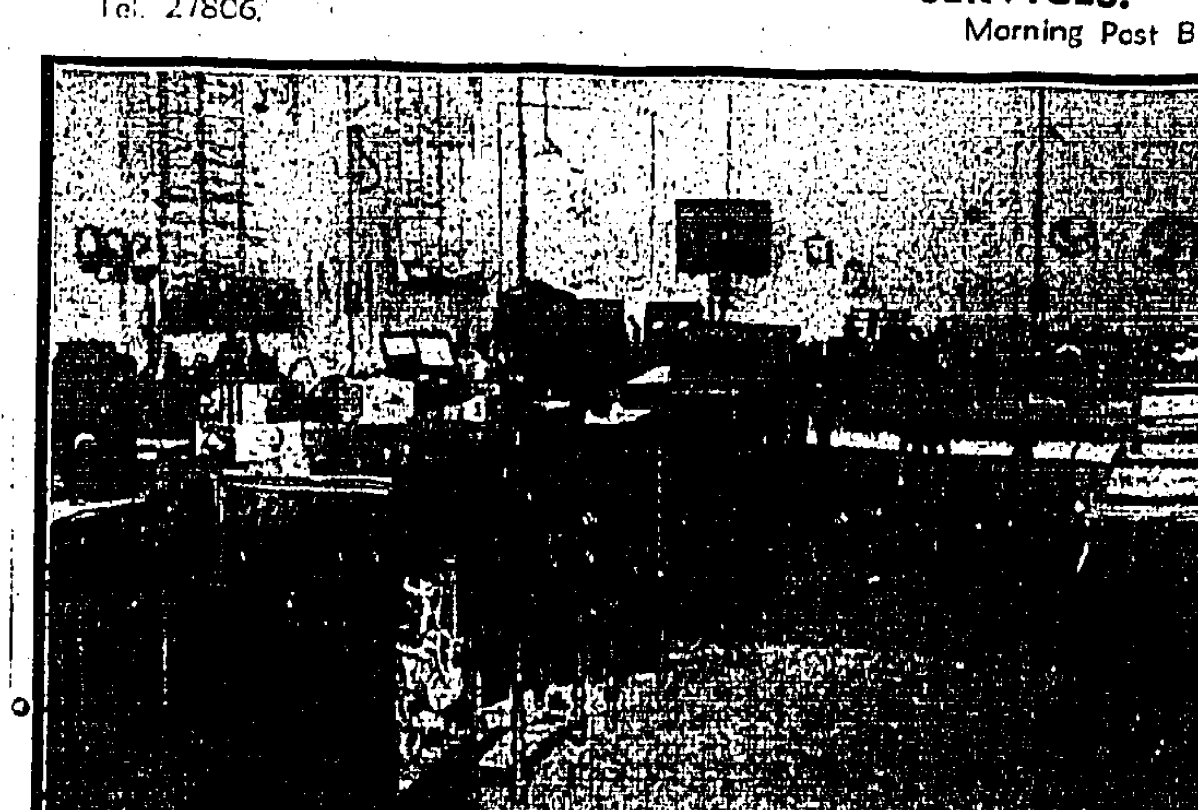

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Mr. Wynne-Jones again warned Siu Chin-man, at the resumed inquiry, held yesterday afternoon at the Kowloon Magistracy, into the circumstances attending the mysterious fires at Nos. 96 and 98 Fuk Wing Street, Shamshuipo, in the early hours of May 11.

Siu Chin-man, who had been warned at the last hearing to tell the truth, stated that he went to the Police station to make a report at 10 a.m. on May 11. The Police were the only people to whom he made a report about the fire.

At 8 a.m., he went to the Nathan Hotel, from where he made a trunk call to Canton, in an attempt to get in touch with the manager of the Kun Kau Knitting Factory. He tried the Tung Ah Hotel and the Asia Hotel. In the latter hotel he found Li Ping-fay, a Chinese military officer and a friend of Ko Kit-ping. He told Li to ask Ko Kit-ping to return to Hongkong as the factory had been on fire.

Varying Statement.

In a statement he made to Inspector Shaftain, witness had said that he spent $6.20 to make two trunk calls to Canton. He told the Police that he informed Ko Kit-ping's brother of the fire, and that he had also spoken to Ko Kit-ping himself. Witness denied that he had made these statements to the Police.

His Worship: Then Inspector Shaftain is a liar?—I never mentioned anything about Ko Kit-ping or his brother.

Continuing his evidence, witness said Ko Kit-ping came back to Hongkong on the day of the fire. Ko went to the Police station the next morning to make a report.

His Worship: When Ko Kit-ping was in Canton, you did not know where to find him?—No.

He didn't tell you where he was going to stay?—No.

How long was he away for?—Two or three days.

Ko's statement to the Police is that you spoke to him?—Well, I didn't know who was at the other end of the telephone.

You didn't know who was at the other end, but it might have been Ko?—It might have been.

After further evidence was taken on these lines, his Worship again warned witness "not to be a fool," and advised him to tell the truth.

A Misunderstanding?

Referring to the number of singlets on the premises, witness stated that there were approximately 600 dozen.

His Worship: You told me at the last hearing that there were two or three hundred dozen.

Witness: I meant that there were about 300 dozen of one mark and the rest of another.

His Worship: You never said anything of the sort.

Witness was told to stand down, his Worship informing him that he was on the same bond of $500 as before.

Yeung Chan-pui, a fokl of the Kun Kau Factory, said he slept in the courtyard of No. 96 and was awakened during the night by cries of "Fire!" He looked for the key to the grille of the front door, but failed to find it. He made his escape by the back door. He looked for his fokls during and after the fire, but could not find any of them. He presented himself at the Police station later in the morning.

The inquiry was adjourned until Tuesday afternoon.

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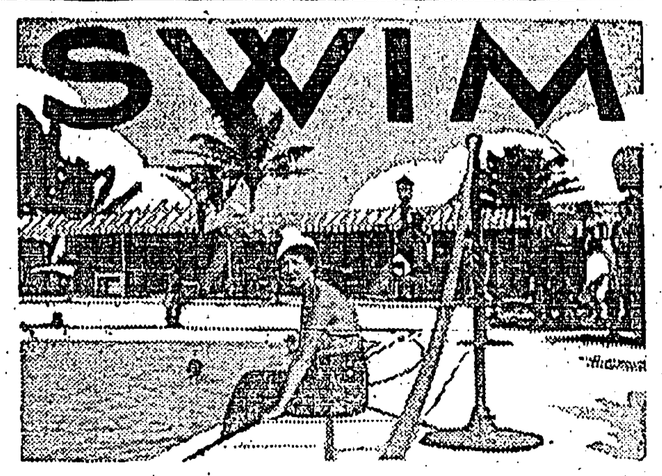

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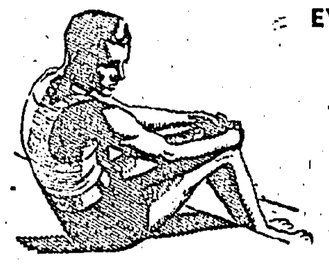

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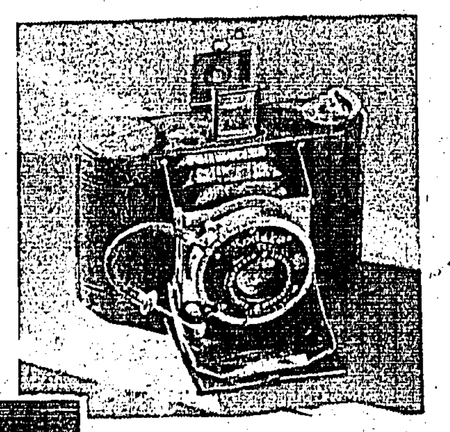

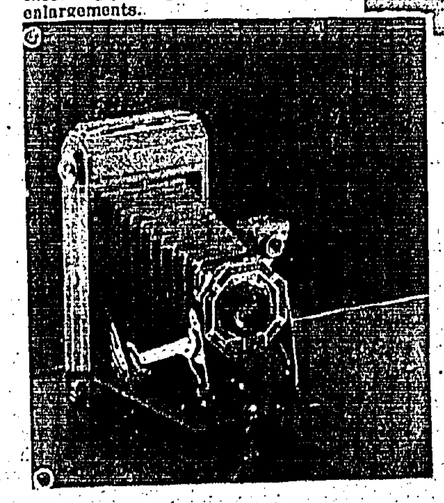

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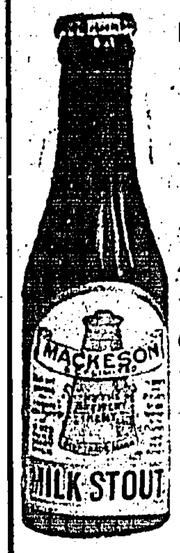

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FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 1934.

PUBLIC WORKS POLICY

General satisfaction will be felt at the decision of the Government to expedite construction of the new Central British School by placing the work in the hands of an outside firm of architects. The patience of Kowloon residents has been well-nigh exhausted in consequence of the interminable delays asociated with this project. Apart from the holding up of the scheme through other causes, the unjustifiable alienation of the original site, for the purposes of a mental hospital on which work has not yet even commenced, has been a decided factor in depriving Kowloon of what has long since been admitted to be an absolute necessity. Hopes will, however, be revived following the decision reached by the Government. This decision raises the general question of progress on essential public works. The almost invariable experience locally is that funds voted for given projects are not used up according to plan. Not only is this the case in respect of ordinary budgetting, but also in the case of supplementary votes, it being frequently found that although the Secretary of State's permission is given, the monies are not spent. It was stated in Council yesterday that the P.W.D. staff is adequate for the carrying out of the existing programme of Public Works Extraordinary, if the new Central British School is excepted, but the fact remains that there is a great deal of leeway to be made up on urgent schemes. There are two alternatives in dealing with the situation—either increasing the P.W.D. staff or putting more work out to non-Government architects. Of the two, the latter method is to be preferred. Adding to the permanent staff only means increasing the costs of administration, which are already quite high enough. Neither can a policy of engaging additional temporary staff be regarded as a desirable move. On the other hand, placing of urgent works, for which funds are available, in the hands of outside firms has everything in its favour. Under this system, jobs would be more expeditiously and most likely more cheaply carried through. There is, moreover, the further factor that firms which contribute to the rates and which are feeling the depression would be benefited, while costs would be kept within the tender price and there would be no additions to the Colony's liabilities in respect of personal emoluments. For these reasons, the policy to be followed in regard to the new Central British School might with advantage be extended to other works as well.

NOTES OF THE DAY

BARTHOU-SIMON CLASH

The quarrel between M. Barthou and Sir John Simon at the disarmament conference is serious not so much because of the injury to Anglo-French relations, although that is sad enough, but because of its exposure of the wideness of the gap in viewpoint. M. Barthou apparently went farther than he needed in his desire to break down the argument Sir John Simon had so carefully built up, and refused to apply the more complimentary explanation to Britain's change in attitude to Germany's demands. Personal illwill probably did not enter into the dispute at all. M. Barthou's ironical attack, causing so much resentment in British official circles, arose largely from the passionate belief of the French in the justice of their own case, and Britain's readiness to stray from a parallel path has, of course, given new force in France to the expression La Perfide Albion.

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AIR FUTURE

If evidence were needed of Britain's sincerity in seeking disarmament, it is to be found in her air programme for the present year. Taking the view that an ounce to example is better than a pound of precept, the British Government has still resisted the demands for large increases in her modest Air Force, while continuing the negotiations for parity in armament. She intends to refrain from building up to European standards as long as there is hope that Europe will scale down its standards to hers. The moment is a critical one. There is no sign that France will reduce her strength unless her demands for security are satisfied.

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DANGER TO EUROPE

Even while the whole question of offensive armaments—big guns, tanks, air equipment—is under review there is an immediate danger that to the formidable Air Forces of the heavily armed powers will soon be added a powerful German Air Force, and that the whole of Europe will find itself committed to the maintenance of enormous potential attacking forces. Then, even if parity should be assured, it would be likely to be on the basis of high and provocative expenditure. Since Britain's island position does not make her immune from air attack, it is not surprising that considerable sections of opinion in that country should demand an increase of her air strength. In spite of her scattered imperial responsibilities, her Air Force is weaker than that of France, or Russia, or Italy, or the United States, or Japan. As long ago as 1923 the Committee of Imperial Defence laid it down that fifty-two squadrons were necessary for British security; but she has never reached this standard, and to-day has only forty-two squadrons.

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PRESSURE RESISTED

Much pressure has been brought on the Cabinet to increase air strength at least up to the former figure, which would still leave Britain numerically weaker than Italy. But the Government had made up its mind. There is to be one additional flying boat squadron for overseas service, the equivalent of one more squadron for the Fleet Air Arm, and only two new squadrons instead of eight demanded for home defence. The Government still hopes to achieve air parity between the principal powers by reduction to the British level rather than by expansion. While disarmament, then, is still under discussion, the British Government is curtailing expansion to a minimum, though it is obliged to make it clear that it cannot always accept a position of continuing inferiority in the air.

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PRACTICAL CONTRIBUTION

The Government has, however, afforded unmistakable evidence of its sincerity by being willing to hold its hand for the present while negotiations are proceeding. This pacific attitude, it ought to be remembered, has been that of Great Britain ever since the conclusion of the war, when she immediately began the demobilisation of her conscript army and has since been content with a regular army, even smaller than that which she had in 1914. She has also reduced her naval forces, and welcomed the cooperation of the United States in coming to an agreement for the limitation of navies. Moreover, in spite of some noisy sections of the press, there is ample evidence that public opinion is overwhelmingly in favour of a policy of disarmament to the lowest possible point compatible with the huge armaments of the European continent. For the present, it is in the air that Britain's defences are conspicuously weakest, in spite of the high efficiency of the small existing Force. In all the difficulties of the past months Britain has made all the best practical contributions to the case for disarmament.

NINE NOUGHTS IN A LINE

AFTER all it may be the plumber with his adjustable spanner and not the politician with his economy axe who will unlock the gate on the road to prosperity. A law abolishing locomotive whistles might well do more to relieve the burden of direct taxation than several finance statutes.

And a commemorative monument probably awaits the policeman who releases the budget surplus which waits in the wake of every traffic jam.

For amateur statisticians have discovered that it is the economizer—not the economist—who is needed to solve the economic problem. These "ten-figure men" deduce that the plumber's assistant who stops the waste of a dripping kitchen faucet makes a far greater contribution to business equilibrium than the legislator who looses the flood of parliamentary debate.

These statisticians have been waging mighty conflict in the pages of prominent journals recently. Their ammunition has been numerical figures; their armies, phalanxes of noughts; their aim, to prove that what ails society to-day is waste—vast sums of money filtering away each year through carelessness, and hours of energy being misdirected.

As a rule these figure-ative Napoleons fight alone. They do not seem to realize that a combined attack of massed statistics would be overwhelming. Add up the collection of separately discovered wastes, and the yearly bill represents a sum so vast that it would take all the existing gold miners in the world more than 3,000 years' continuous digging to produce its equivalent in gold. For the total waste discovered, to date, appears to be considerably over £280,000,000,000 a year.

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And the game goes on. Figures are sometimes out of date in little more than a day. Each amateur statistician has his own favourite waste. Some have collections. One has written a beautifully illustrated book. And each month rolls back to see new wastes, backed by a force of nine nothings in a line, brought forcibly to light.

To some it seems surprising that bread queues are not 200 miles long instead of 200 yards. It has been calculated that at the present rate of discovery, statistical prospectors will in a very few months be able to prove to their own satisfaction that it will take only 503 years to denude the world of everything.

For these waste statisticians have been particularly busy of late. The drip, drip, drip of the kitchen tap is disclosed as a serious leak in the economic system. Pear-shaped drops? No! Pearl shaped. On the basis of one calculation it would take 2,000 reservoirs, each holding 15,000,000 gallons, to contain the volume of water wasted in Europe each year through dripping taps.

Truly, it would seem, does money run away like water. And as truly is its elusive progress accelerated by traffic jams, which hold the traffic back and let the money escape all the quicker. One writer declares that the city engneer of Bradford, northern English manufacturing town, has estmated that the loss due to traffic jams amounts to £700 a day in each long street in that city.

How many long streets in a town the size of Bradford! How many towns in Britain even larger than Bradford! If the money wasted through traffic jams was collected and divided equally among the population, every single inhabitant of the British Isles could buy a new fur coat, a new automobile, ten new suits, and a round-the-world cruise—and that every year.

Automobiles are not alone in their discredit. Mistrust of all forms of transport seems to lurk in the breast of every amateur statistician. The locomotive appears to him, not as it appears to boys—heroic steel, a mechanical Arthur thundering across the country as if in pursuit of a machine-made dragon. Nor does he see it as some artist, who understands it as man's supreme conception of power, straining to be set loose.

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No, to those who hound figures the locomotive can but fetch and carry material for its own destruction. Locomotives, they have it, cause the waste of at least £2,000,000 a year. Steam whistles annoy the figure hounds. They declare that they dissipate $1,000,000 a year.

And the whistle is not alone in condemnation. The sparks that fly from the smokestack are golden pointed. One, more venturesome than the rest, will dart to a tree and settle in some long grass. And then are their faces red? A million pounds a year goes up in smoke.

The cannon is even hungrier than the locomotive. Its appetite is sixty times as big. The belching smoke is 150 times as dangerous as the darting spark. War costs America about $675,000,000 a year. With much of that she still pays for previous wars. With the rest prepares in case she should have to deal with another.

The only war which the writers appear to think would be—statistically—justified, would save, instead of waste, £100,000,000. It would be a war against fraudulent advertisers. A galaxy of "ten-figure men" blame fraudulent advertisers for a yearly loss approaching very near to the amount spent on wars. And automobile crashes are debited with £515,000,000.

And how much would a new Pied Piper be worth? About 10,000 times as much as a cabinet minister; he could be paid that and then leave about £50,000,000 in annual saving. For rodents are said to cause £70,000,000 worth of damage.

And those bronzed backs flashing in the shore-side sun are viewed with disfavour by at least one "warden of waste." For purely statistical reasons. It has been declared that, in some way which it has been difficult to discover, sunburn is responsible for an annual loss of £1,400,000.

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Naturally there is some controversy as to what the statistics mean, and, if they mean anything, what they prove. There appear to be three main groups of contestant voices.

The first declares that the object of modern civilized life is to make every machine so efficient that it is possible to waste without worrying.

The second affirms that if the

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"You see, it would simply break his father's heart if, by any chance, Byron failed to pass."

The Very Idea!

A BRIGHTER AND BETTER HONGKONG!

Mr. Edward Kelly Decides That The Time Is Ripe To Start A New Movement

THIS hurts us more than it's going to hurt you, but seeing that Mr. Woodruff is starting a new system to save the world, the time is opportune for the introduction of our new movement.

THE only difficulty about this is the shirts. The Nazis have brown shirts, the Canton Crowd Systemers wear green shirts, the Fascists wear black shirts, General O'Duffy's team have blue shirts, and the people who come home from the races wear no shirts. This limits the choice of a really snappy line of shirtings.

After mature consideration we have decided that followers of the Kelly Save the Hotel-keepers Social movement shall wear heliotrope shirts with red hoops and pink cap. The salute will be made by extending the hand, palm up, somewhere on the level of the waist, the saluter at the same time adopting a wistful expression. Women members will, of course, adopt a threatening expression. This ought to come easy.

The financial policy of the movement will be to get as much money as possible for nothing. Should it be found necessary to borrow money, an exceptionally high rate of interest will be agreed to, but not paid.

All funds received over and above working expenses will be used for purchasing $1 sweep tickets. A dictatorship will be established, and a committee composed of Gandhi, the Hon. Mr. A. D. C. Wolfe, Mr. Edward Kelly, Mrs. Aimee McPherson, Mr. Ruttonjee, Tam Pearce, Chiang Kai-shek and Primo Carnera will also be formed. The committee will submit any legislation to the Dictator (us) for final consideration, when we will immediately veto it.

Poker and compulsory turn will be compulsory subjects in all schools.

Hitler and Mussolini are are doing a great deal towards increasing the population of Germany and Italy, assisted, of course, by a lot of other Germans and Italians, and we think that we could well do with a drop of that sort of stuff in this Colony in order to populate our Peak with the right type. Accordingly, under the Kelly Plan any woman producing a child under 28lbs. at birth will be fined. At least one baby a year for the first ten years will be required from married couples, after which, having had a solid grounding in the subject, three babies a year will be demanded. This may sound like extortion, but it's all in a good cause.

Euripides, the Greek tragedian, who was named after a well-known volcano has said "O, wad some power the giftie gie us, to see ourse's as ithers see us."

Which, being translated from the Greek, means: "Why can't I look through a telescope at myself?" For some time we have observed a growing laxity in our public morals. We have seen with our own eyes numbers of people holding their dogs on thin leashes that may snap at any moment. We have actually seen a Peak flapper fraternising with a Kowloon clerk. We have asked ourself, are we on the downward path? The answer is, unfortunately, "Yes."

What this Colony wants is uplift. A cleansing. A winnowing. A sweeping and garnishing. A purifying.... (You forgot the Augean stables) yes, the Augean stables must be cleansed. The best way to do this is to start off by lynching somebody. Some people prefer pogroms. It was even suggested to us by one of our Brain Trust that the hours for pogroms should be from 9.30 a.m. till 6 p.m. with an hour off for lunch. We vetoed this. We just took our vetoer firmly by the handle, and that was the finish of that suggestion.

But before we can hope to do any stable cleaning we must get hold of the means of production and consumption. Then we can lift the purchasing power of the masses to the level of the industrial equatorial basis as a last step towards the stabilisation of interest to the point of blasphemy. Then, having done that it should be a simple matter to codify the exchange rate and peg the monetary system at value commensurate with the cost of living on the one hand and the fluctuations of the fundamental necessities of the proletariat with a margin for skill and heredity, even if this means resigning from the League of Nations.

You will see that this work must be started at once. We can't go on like this, betting in dollars, and smoking second-grade cigars, scraping for our walla walla fares after signing chits for an enjoyable dinner dance. Let us then be up and doing somebody!

On! On!

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world was rid of all waste, it would not be essential, as it is now, to save on other things to make up for it. And so there would be a great deal more leisure.

The third maintains that it does not matter much anyway. Believing the argument of neither side, this set of folk points out that the ideal land in the statistician's view would be a land where every machine was so efficient that there was no waste, no mishaps, and no work.

Even while the statisticians talk, the waters of a mighty ocean lap lazily round an island which fulfills every condition they could ask. On it there are no traffic jams, no wasteful machines, no war and no work. The island lies in the Pacific. No one lives there. Not even a statistician.

NAVAL SENSATION

U.S. ABANDONING BASE IN MANILA

London, June 1.

It is hinted that the United States may shortly abandon its naval bases in the Philippine Islands.

The report comes from America and declares that the United States intends to withdraw her Squadron from Manila, although she is entitled under the Philippine Independence Act to maintain a naval base there.

The report is referred to by the *Morning Post's* diplomatic correspondent, who says it is undertsood that the move must be regarded as strategical, the Squadron being too weak to defend itself against possible enemy forces that would be available before the arrival of help.

The closing down of the base will possibly facilitate an American-Japanese Agreement, but it leaves other questions, such as Singapore and Hongkong unanswered.

There is, however, no reason to suppose that an agreement with Britain will not be reached in these matters.—*Reuter.*

LICENCE MAY BE CANCELLED

FRANCIS LEE AGAIN IN COURT

"I think this gentleman had better have his licence cancelled", remarked Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, when Francis Lee, of 15 Robinson Road, ground floor, appeared on a summons of dangerous driving.

It will be recalled that Lee was charged two days ago with having driven a car without the permission of its owner, and was fined $100, or two months' imprisonment. He had previously been fined $50 for a similar offence.

The present summons against defendant was in connection with an incident in Stubbs Road. Traffic Inspector Nicol stated that defendant drove the car, No. 2307, down Stubbs Road from the junction of Bowen Road to Morrison Gap. He kept on the off side, and Mrs. Fredericks, who was driving another car behind him, could not get past. Near Shiu Fai Terrace, a taxicab coming in the opposite direction had to stop.

Mr. T. P. K. Kemble appeared for defendant, and tendered a plea of guilty.

Mr. Hamilton requested Inspector Nicol to put the case before the I.G.P., as he did not think defendant was fit to have a licence. If defendant's licence were cancelled, he would not fine him, but if it was not, he would.

The case was accordingly adjourned until Friday.

Li Fook, driver of private car No. 266, was also summoned for dangerous driving in Stubbs Road, and was fined $25, or three weeks' imprisonment.

Inspector Nicol said it was a similar case to the last, and Mr. Glendinning, of the Tramway Company, told him it was the worst case of dangerous driving he had seen in Hongkong.

DIDN'T KNOW THE PRAYA

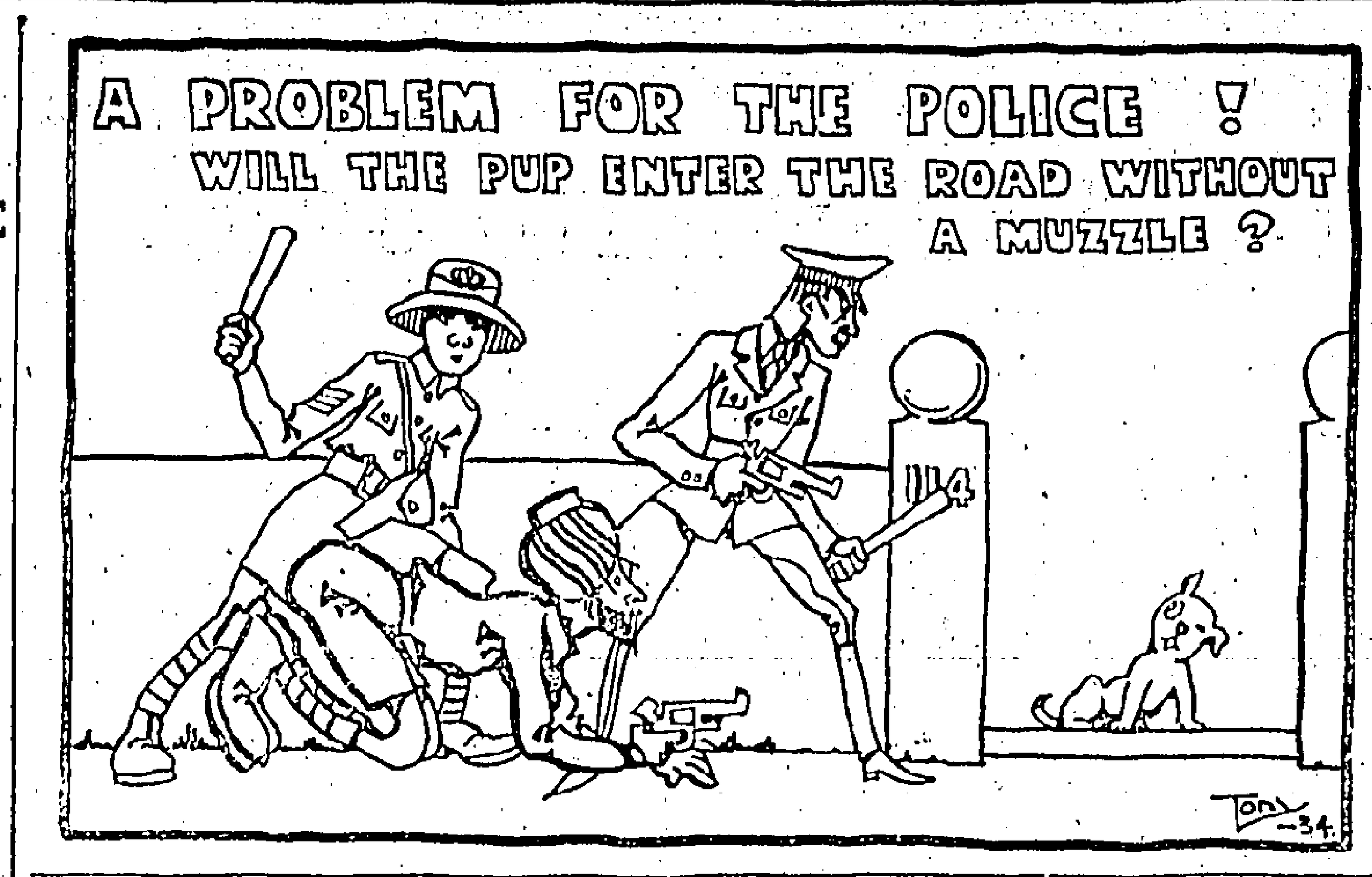
ALTHOUGH 45 YEARS IN COLONY

Although he has been in Hongkong for 45 years, Cheng Kwok, an unemployed seaman, does not know if Connaught Road Central or Des Voeux Road Central is the Praya! He made this statement when he was charged before Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court this morning with attempting to obtain $10 at the Yuen Hing pawnshop by pretending that a ring he pawned was pure gold, and with giving false information.

Defendant was discharged on the first counts, there being no direct evidence as to whether he knew the ring was not pure gold. He was convicted on the second charge and fined $20 or two weeks' hard labour.

Det-Sergt. Goodwin said the pawnbroker offered $9, and the defendant wanted $11, but eventually agreed on $10. The ring was examined and was then weighed a second time, while the ticket was being written out. It was found to be gold-plated, the value being not more than $4. He gave his address as No. 3 Des Voeux Road West.

Defendant stated that owing to the illness of his concubine he had to pawn the ring. He lived at No. 14 Fuk Wah Street, Shamshuipo.



DERBY FAVOURITE

TRAINER SUPREMELY CONFIDENT

London, June 1.

Will Colombo live up to his wonderful reputation? is the question on the lips of every race-goer as Derby Day approaches.

His Two Thousand Guineas form is still worrying some of the experts, though few care to make any suggestions as to the horse that may be capable of beating him over any distance.

His connexions are supremely confident.

It seems that Lo Zingaro's chances are now considered negligible by his stable, as Gordon Richards and Steve Donoghue are now choosing between Easton and Medieval Knight.

TEST GALLOP.

It is understood that Mr. F. Darling, the trainer of these three, is galloping Easton and Medieval Knight to-morrow to decide which Gordon Richards will ride in the Derby. Donoghue will be up on the other.

Colombo, according to his trainer, Mr. Hogg, is wonderfully fit. The hardness of the ground is not troubling the trainer, who says: "What suits other horses will suit Colombo."—*Reuter.*

DOUBLE TRACKING SPEED-UP

SOVIET ACTIVITY ON RAILWAYS

Tientsin, June 1.

A Harbin message says redoubled efforts are being made by the Soviet authorities to complete the double-tracking of both the Ussuri and Amur Railways.

Thousands of political prisoners have been impressed for the work. About thirty kilometres of rail-track is now being completed daily, and if this rate is maintained, double-tracking of the whole line will soon be completed.—*Central News.*

Yung Him-chung, of Milwaukee, Winsconsin, died intestate on May 25, 1932, leaving local estate of $35,400, letters of administration to which have been granted to Tong Chan-chi, widow, of 350, Reclamation Street, Kowloon.

AMATEUR PHOTO CONTEST

OUTPORT RESIDENTS ELIGIBLE.

The "Telegraph" Amateur Photo Competition opens to-day. Valuable cash and camera prizes are being offered.

In response to an inquiry from an outport reader, we desire to state that, as in former years, the Competition is open to residents of Canton, Macao and other South China ports, as well as Hongkong.

DISASTER FUND

FINAL TOTAL OF $4,353.15

STATEMENT TO BE ISSUED

The *Telegraph* Fund on behalf of the sufferers in the gasworks disaster closed yesterday, the gratifying total of $4,353.15 having been raised. This includes a donation of $5, signed "Silva," which reached us yesterday after publication.

The practical sympathy of residents, firms and clubs with the sufferers has been demonstrated by the excellence of the response, and it is a noteworthy fact that not a single day has passed since the Fund was inaugurated in which contributions were not received.

We should like to take this opportunity of thanking all who contributed to the Fund, and also the St. John Ambulance Bridage for undertaking the onerous task of administering the monies received.

The work of assisting the worst cases is still in hand, and when this is completed, a statement will be issued how the money has been expended, whilst full details of each case dealt with will be available for inspection by contributors.

NEW CAPITAL ISSUES

London, May 31.

According to statistics compiled by the Midland Bank, new capital issues for the month of May amounted to £22,441,000 as compared with £14,614,014 for May, 1933.—*British Wireless.*

SINO-JAPANESE "BATTLE"

VERBAL OUTBURST AT GENEVA

"FRIENDS" IN MANCHURIA

Geneva, May 31.

A battle of words between the Chinese and Japanese delegates occurred to-night at a private sitting of the Opium Advisory Committee.

The Committee was discussing the question of import certificates for Manchukuo, and the majority, in order to avoid raising the political aspect of the question, favoured the retention of the existing system whereby Consular permits are used.

Sir Malcolm Delevigne, the British representative, maintained that these permits did not offer the same guarantees as import certificates.

The Committee decided that it was not qualified to settle the issue.

JAPAN'S POSITION.

Mr. Yokoyama, the Japanese Consul-General at Geneva, stated that the situation in Manchukuo was a legacy from former rulers. His Japanese friends in Manchukuo had advised him that the situation would continue to improve.

This led to the passage of words with Mr. Victor Hoo, the Chinese Consul-General, who challenged Mr. Yokoyama's remark that Japan had not had anything to do with Manchukuo.

MERE ADVISERS.

Mr. Hoo maintained that Mr. Yokoyama's friends in Manchukuo must have more power than that of mere advisers if they could deal with the drug question.

The Committee adopted the report of the sub-committee on seizures.—*Reuter.*

FRENCH ADMIRAL LEAVES

TO ATTEND TOGO FUNERAL

Vice Admiral Richard, C.-in-C. of the French Squadron in the Far East, left Hongkong this morning on board the Primauguet for Japan to attend the funeral of the late Admiral the Marquis Togo.

Under previous schedule the Primauguet was to remain in Hongkong until Tuesday, but the Admiral received orders yesterday from Paris to proceed at once to Japan.

The Admiral was to have been one of the official guests at the reception at Government House on Monday.

TWO-CENT DEBT QUARREL

MAN SLASHED WITH PEN-KNIFE

A fight between coolies over a debt of two cents resulted in the appearance of Chun Hing-yuen at the Kowloon Magistracy, before Mr. Wynne-Jones, this morning, on a charge of assault. It was alleged that defendant slashed at the complainant with a pen-knife, inflicting a wound near the left ear.

Asked why he did that, defendant said "He owes me two cents."

His Worship:—So you want to carve him up because he owes you two cents?

Defendant was bound over in a sum of $50 to be of good behaviour for 12 months.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

THOSE WHO GIVE NOT TILL THEY DIE SHOW THAT THEY WOULD NOT EVEN THEN IF THEY COULD KEEP IT ANY LONGER.—*Bishop Hall.*

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For driving his car, No. 3922, through the controlled area in Nathan Road at 32 miles an hour at 12.40 p.m. on May 15, Paul Braga was fined $10 by Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

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Four months' hard labour was passed on Chan Kam, aged 36, who snatched a handbag from a married woman, Lai Wai-hung, living at No. 5 Yuen Chow Street. It was stated that the complainant was just entering the staircase of her house when defendant came up from behind and snatched her handbag. In the bag was $12.35 besides various other articles.

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Wong Piu and Nga Man, charged before Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, with having attempted to procure the commission of an act of gross indecency by a male, were sentenced to six months' hard labour each. Two Privates of the South Wales Borderers gave evidence. Nga Man said he was working in a theatrical troupe. Mr. Hamilton remarked that he would be working in gaol for the next six months.

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One case each of diphtheria and meningitis were reported to the health authorities on Wednesday.

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During the absence of Mr. T. E. Lacoya from the Colony, Mr. Eugene G. Lacoya will be in charge of the Consulates for Nicaragua and Salvador.

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Found in the top floor of No. 3 Queen Victoria Street yesterday afternoon, a Chinese ran to the roof and tried to escape. He was chased along six house-tops and finally caught by a foki. Brought before Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court this morning, he was sent to prison for three weeks. Det.-Sergt. Minty prosecuted.

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Charged before Mr. Macfadyen this morning with being in the possession of an unlawful instrument, a chisel, Chan Iu, a wharf coolie, complained that he was struck by a Chinese detective and made to confess that he had the instrument for the purpose of stealing. The police denied this. At 4 a.m. yesterday, defendant was seen looking into shops in Jervois Street. When accosted the chisel was found wrapped up in paper in the back of his girdle. He stated he picked the chisel up and as it was dirty he wrapped it up in paper.

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

CLASSICAL PROGRAMME FOR THIS EVENING

From ZBW on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilo-cycles):

4.30-7.30 p.m. Chinese Programme.

7.30-10.30 p.m. European Programme.

7.30 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7.33-8 p.m. Variety.

Song—Speak to me of Love.
Lucienne Boyer (Soprano).

Piano Duet—There's a Ring Around the Moon.

Piano Duet—Nymph Errant—Selection.
Carroll Gibbons and John W. Green.

Fox Trot—Over on the Sunny Side.

Fox Trot—Ol' Pappy.
Billy Cotton and His Band.

Vocal Duet—Mood Indigo.
Layton and Johnstone.

Fox Trot—In the Hollow of your Hand.

Fox Trot—Spin a Little Web of Dreams.
Scott Wood and His Orchestra.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-8.20 p.m.

"Old and New" (A Pot Pourri of Popular Melodies) (arr. Finck).
Played by Herman Finck and His Orchestra.

8.20-8.46 p.m. Concert Items.

Song—Wee Willie Winkie (Roberton).

Song—There's Nae Luck About the Hoose (arr. Macpherson and Pentland).
Boyd Steven (Soprano).

Cymbalum Solo—Waltz No. 1 in E Flat (Durand).
Elec Racz.

Cymbalum Solo—Red Rose.
Elec Racz.

Instrumental Rakoczy March.
Colombo's Tziganes.

Song—Casanova—O Mistress Fond and Fair (J. Strauss).

Song—Casanova—The Memory of a Kiss (J. Strauss).
Arthur Fear (Baritone).

Violoncello Solo—Mazurka (Popper, Op. 11 No.3).

Violoncello Solo—Musette (Bach).
Pablo Casals.

8.46-9 p.m. Light Orchestral Music.

Tschaikowsky in Vienna (arr. by Walter).
Orchestra Raymonde.

Apache Dance (Offenbach).

La Golondrina (The Swallow) (Serradell).
Victor Salon Orchestra.

9-9.30 p.m. From the Studio.

A Violin Recital by Professor N. A. Tenoff, accompanied by Professor S. Maklezoff.

Programme.

1. Concerto in A Minor (Accolay).
2. Air Varie No. 1 (de Beriot).
3. Scene de Ballet (de Beriot).
4. Selection of favourite violin pieces.

9.30-10.25 p.m. Classical Programme.

Pianoforte—Prelude and Fugue, No. 10 in E Minor (Bach).
Evlyn Howard-Jones.

Pianoforte—Gigue, (from Fifth French Suite) (Bach).
Myra Hess.

Pianoforte—Variations in C Minor (Beethoven).
Sergei Rachmaninoff.

Quartet—Air from Suite in D—Transcription (Bach).
Lener String Quartet.

Orchestral—Choral Prelude—(Christ Lag in Todesbanden) (Christ Lay in the Bonds of Death((Bach, arr. Stokowski).

Orchestral—Fugue in G Minor (From The "Little G Minor Fugue") (Bach, arr. Stokowski).
Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra.

Overture—Coriolan (Beethoven).
Willem Mengelberg and His Concertgebouw Orchestra.

Last Two Movements of "Symphony No. 5 in C Minor" (Op. 67) (Beethoven).
Played by the Royal Albert Hall Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.

3rd movement—Allegro (Scherzo).

4th movement—Allegro (Finale).

10.25 p.m. Rugby Mid-Day Press News.

10.30 p.m. Close Down.

FANLING GOLF

STARTING TIMES FOR SUNDAY

Old Course

9.28 A. D. Humphreys, C. W. F. Booker.
9.32 K. S. Morrison, S. H. Dodwell.
9.36 A. C. Young, D. J. Keogh.
9.40 C. Thwaites, H. N. Williamson.
9.44 J. MacKnight, W. S. Hillier.
9.48 J. B. Mackie, A. E. Perry.
9.52 A. McKeller, G. Milne.
9.56 D. J. Gilmore, A. Sommerfelt.
10.00 C. H. Bradley, E. D. Matthews.
10.04 J. E. Dovey, R. C. Webb.
10.08 J. D. McClatchie, G. A. Stewart.
10.12 H. G. Williams, J. C. Dunbar.
10.16 A. E. Lay, W. M. Thomson.
10.20 A. E. Lissaman, N. K. Littlejohn.
10.24 H. H. Pethick, I. H. Geare.
10.28 T. A. Pearce, K. Robinson.
10.32 F. A. Pollock, T. Addis Martin.
10.36 Major McIntyre, R. A. Rogers.
10.40 G. S. Brown, J. R. Sindlinger.

MONDAY

9.28 E. des Voeux, R. A. Rodgers.
9.32 A. T. Lay, M. N. Cootes.

Fan Chat, a widow, was fined $500, or four months, by Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning for having in her possession 987 *po piu* tickets. She was arrested in Hamilton Street, with the tickets tied round her waist.

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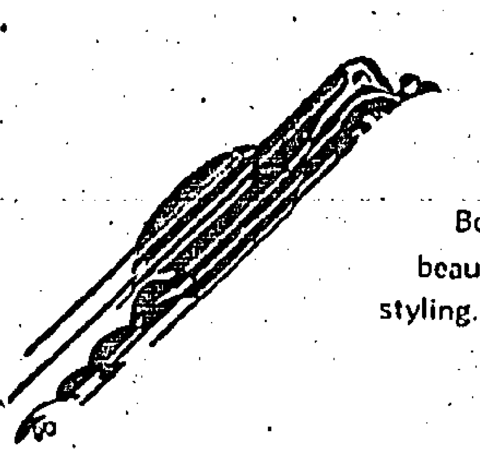

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COTTON, WHEAT AND SILVER

LATEST NEW YORK QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the folllowing quotations on the New York cotton and wheat and silver exchanges for yesterday.

Cotton

	May 30. Close	May 31. Closing Range
July	11.44	11.37-11.38
October	11.64	11.58-11.59
December	11.76	11.69-11.69
January	11.81	11.75-11.75
March	11.91	11.85-11.85
May	12.01	11.95-11.95
Spot	11.60	11.55

Chicago Wheat

	May 30. Close	May 31. Closing Range
May	98	103 -103¼
July	97¼	102¼-102⅝
September	98⅝	103⅛-103⅝

Winnipeg Wheat

	May 30. Close	May 31. Closing Range
May	76	81⅝-81⅛
July	77¼	82⅜-82⅝
October	79¼	85 -84⅞

Silver

	May 30. Close	May 31. Closing Range
July	45.18	45.07-45.15
September	45.34	45.20-45.20
December	45.65	45.35-45.35
January	45.70	45.45-45.45
March	45.95	45.65-45.65
May	46.10	45.85-45.85

Total sales for the day:—
1,175,000 ozs (47 Contracts) — 1,525,000 ozs (53 Contracts)

RUBBER PRICES

LATEST SINGAPORE QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Benjamin & Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from Singapore to-day for raw Rubber:—

Spot	19¾ cts.	up ½
July/Sept.	20¾ cts.	up ⅝
Oct./Dec.	21½ cts.	up ¾
Jan./Mar.	22⅛ cts.	up ¾

Market: Firm.

CRAWFORD REACHES FINAL || DAZZLING OVAL CRICKET

Miss Helen Jacobs, challenger for the French tennis title now held by Miss Margaret Scriven.

VON CRAMM TO PLAY J. CRAWFORD

FOR FRENCH TENNIS TITLE

MISS SCRIVEN IN FINAL

ENGLISH PAIR BEATEN

Paris, May 31.

Jack Crawford, Australian tennis ace, who is holder of the French national tennis championship, will be challenged for the title by Von Cramm, Germany's leading exponent, as a result of to-day's semi-final encounters, which saw the elimination of Christian Boussus of France, and Baron de Stefani, the ambidextrous Italian Davis Cup player.

Miss Margaret Scriven, who, playing last year as an unofficial English representative, surprised the whole of the tennis world by annexing the ladies championship, has again found her way into the final, this time triumphing over Fraulein Aussem, who has been staging a come-back in the international field of tennis.

Miss Helen Jacobs will be her opponent to-day in the final, America's best lady player easily overcoming Madame Mathieu of France.

BOUSSUS PLAYS STRONGLY.

Although the French crowd were disappointed in seeing Boussus defeated by Crawford, the Frenchman had the satisfaction of sending his opponent all the way, and not only captured the second set, but took the third to twelve games and the fourth to ten.

Crawford started flashily, and quickly getting on top ran away with the opening set to three. But Boussus had by then settled down, and making the running drew level with a 6-2 win. The third stanza was very keenly contested, Crawford eventually breaking through. Boussus continued to hold his own, although Crawford was more decisive in his attacking strokes, and had better finishing shots.

Stefani made a late recovery against Von Cramm and then cracked up under the pace. Led by two sets to one, the Italian succeeded in pulling his opponent back to level terms, winning the

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DEFEATED AGAIN

THE YANKEES & GIANTS

WHITE SOX SCORE DOZEN RUNS

New York, May 31.

There was a somewhat restricted programme in the major baseball leagues to-day. Both New York teams were thoroughly beaten, the Giants losing to the Dodgers, and the Yankees being trounced by the Senators.

St. Louis Cardinals sneaked away with a nose out against Cincinnati Reds.

There was taller scoring in the American League. St. Louis hagged eleven against Detroit Tigers, and Chicago White Sox helped themselves to a dozen at the expense of the Cleveland Indians.

Scores as cabled by *Reuter* follow.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	2	10	0
Brooklyn	6	10	0
Pittsburgh	5	14	1
Chicago ..... (Klein homered)	11	12	2
St. Louis	3	7	1
Cincinnati .... (There were ten innings)	2	7	1

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington ...	9	14	0
New York ..... (Lazzeri homered)	3	12	4
Chicago ..... (Bonhura homered)	12	17	2
Cleveland ..... (Trosky homered)	5	12	1
Detroit	3	10	1
St. Louis ..... (Pepper, Bejma and homered).	11	14	1 Clift

America In The Davis Cup

BEAT MEXICO FOR ZONE FINAL

Baltimore, May 31.

The United States to-day entered the final of the American Zone in the Davis Cup when Lester Stoefen and George M. Lott won the doubles to secure the necessary third rubber against Mexico.

The Mexican pair, Tapia and Mestre, proved no match for the American, whose doubles combination was purely experimental. Stoefen and Lott won in three straight sets 6-4, 6-4, 6-4.—*Reuter.*

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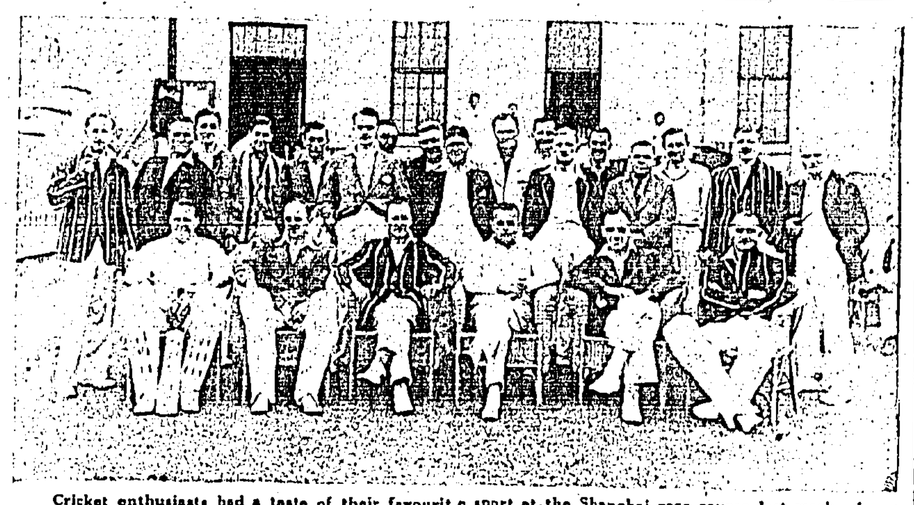


Cricket enthusiasts had a taste of their favourit e sport at the Shanghai race course last week when a cricket match between P. Carr's Eleven and T. A. T. Begg's Eleven unofficially opened the cricket season. Above is shown the teams which participated in the first match of the season, played at the Cricket Club.

OUTLOOK FOR TO-MORROW'S RACE MEETING

Racing Triumph For The Juling Stakes

CHIEF CHALLENGE FROM NATIONAL DAY AND WARRINGTON

(By "Captain Foster")

To-morrow's race meeting at Happy Valley will close our season for the half year, and next week I hope to give you a comprehensive review of the racing which has, so far, taken place this year.

The card to-morrow consists of nine events and the important race will be the Juling Stakes, for which, Racing Triumph is considered a certainty. You already have my views regarding this pony; he is fast enough to carry off the prize, as his training gallops have shewn us that he has plenty of pace, but he has also shewn us that he is not what I consider a genuine racer.

Racing Triumph has now changed hands and the change in stabling and, possibly, food and work may transform him into a dependable pony. Personally I do not think the change of Stable has been long enough as to produce a greatly improved pony, but the field to-morrow—non-winning "D" class ponies—is not what I can call a formidable one, and for this reason one must highly respect his chances. He will doubtless start a raging hot favourite in the Juling Stakes and, perhaps, his favouritism can be compared with that of Lord Glanely's Colt Colombo for the Epsom Classic which comes up for decision on Wednesday next!

Beaufort Handicap.—One mile.

With a run, I prefer the chances of Lemberg, but I gather he may be reserved for the Lantao Handicap later on in the afternoon. In his absence I expect to see a good race between Bay View, Monoplane, The Redshank, What A Chance and William Osler. On form, the issue would appear to lay between Bay View and Monoplane, but I also have a fancy for William Osler, who appeared to be moving nicely last Wednesday morning over six furlongs.

WILL ATLAS COMPETE?

Bondi Handicap.—One miles.

Will Atlas be competing? I do not think we need look further for the winner if he comes under the Starter's order. Failing Atlas, the chances of Night Star loom large, and it will be very interesting to see how her running will compare with Mutiny Bay and Saucy Face. I will not be surprised to see the last named returned the winner. She looks and moves well with plenty of vitality.

Cheung Chau Handicap.—One mile.

A small but select field will contest this event. Sadko, on his last performance, must command respect but, at the weights, and more particularly after his excellent gallop of 1-34 for six furlongs on Wednesday morning last, I rate Hetman very highly. The distance is suitable and I think he will prove to be the chief danger to Sadko. Cossack's Beauty and King's Justice should battle is out for the third place.

Crocodile Handicap.—Five furlongs.

A large field will contest this race, which appears to me to be a very open one, the luck at getting away at the start going a long way in settling the issue. Were I certain that Tolshan will get away nicely I would make him a dangerous contender, but I gather he does not relish the gate. Bold Commander, on his last running, should not be ignored, and we cannot leave out his stable companion Sarabande, who is an exceptionally quick starter. St. Ives has a light weight and may reward his patient backers by winning. Delightful Chance, Little Beauty and The Carp are all capable of winning. There should not be a pronounced favourite and I would be inclined to back one's fancy.

LEMBERG DANGEROUS.

Lantao Handicap.—One mile.

The Tally Ho Stable are starting Daylight Eve, Royal Flush and Valorous and I think either Daylight Eve or Valorous will win. At the weights, Daylight Eve is slightly to be preferred, but Valorous is fancied to extend him and might, quite possibly, win. I happen to know that the Stable connexions are uncertain of the outcome as regards these two ponies. Lemberg—if started here—becomes most dangerous and—on form—should fill the first place. Tillicum at 140 lbs. is not to be despised but I think the distance will be found to be too long. Wakefield and Wayward Stag should not be ignored.

Green Island Handicap.—One mile.

I cannot say which I fancy the most,—Blue Star or King's Bounty. On form we must support the latter, but the former with 148 lbs. appeals very strongly to me. Don is capable of causing an upset on his best form, but I have not seen him in action lately, so cannot say anything about his prospects. Bright Star with 165 lbs. will have to be in his very best condition to be dangerous. Soldier of Germany must be there or thereabouts.

Juling Stakes.—One mile.

The chances of Racing Triumph have already been extolled. Of the rest of the entrants, I like Burgomaster, King's Parade, National Day, Powerful King, Warrington and Widnes. I may be rash in leaving out Chivalrous and Colombo. I feel that the danger to Racing Triumph will come from either National Day or Warrington. Both are quietly fancied, and quite rightly too! For a long shot I would suggest Powerful King.

CAN THE GOOSE DO IT?

Manly Handicap.—One mile.

Can The Goose concede 19 lbs. to 'Vriday is a question I have been trying to answer, and I have come to the conclusion that she cannot. Can St. Joan at 151 lbs. beat either of them? I doubt it, so shall relegate the third position for her. I cannot see any of the other starters disputing any of the place positions.

Lamma Handicap.—One mile.

Cavalcade and Fudge will show to advantage in this race and I favour the latter chance. No Fear, Gay Butterfly and Helter Skelter appear to me to be the pick of the rest.

TEST TRIAL

Thirteen Invitations Sent Out

Before the first Test match between England and Australia, which is to be played at Nottingham on June 8, a trial will be played at Lord's beginning to-morrow.

It is listed as England vs. the Rest and, presumably, the side which will probably meet the tourists in the Trent Bridge match will be opposed to the pick of the other England players.

Among the invitations sent out for the match, were to the following:

R. E. S. Wyatt (Warwick), the Nawab of Patnudi (Worcester), M. J. Turnbull (Glamorgan), C. F. Walters (Worcester), R. W. V. Robins (Middlesex), B. H. Valentine (Kent), Sutcliffe, Leyland and Verity (Yorkshire), Hammond (Gloucester), Ames (Kent), Nichols (Essex), and Jas. Langridge (Sussex).

Miss Peggy Scriven who meets Miss Helen Jacobs in the final of the French singles championship.

TO-DAY'S TRAINING GALLOPS

PONIES' TIMES IN FINAL GALLOP FOR TO-MORROW

The following training times were returned during this morning's gallops at Happy Valley in preparation for the race meeting to-morrow.

	Distance	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	Last Qr.
Tillicum	½	32.2	1.02.1		29.4
Saucy Face	½	32	57.2		25.2
Cavalcade	¼	31.2	—		31.2
Don	¼	32	—		32
Rose Leaf	½	32.1	1.03.4		30.3
What A Chance	¼	31.2	—		31.2
Great Hall	¼	29.2	—		29.2
Warrington	½	34.1	1.05.2		31.1
City of Shanghai	½	34.1	1.05.2		31.1
William Osler	½	31.2	1.00.2		29
West Parade	½	31	1.01		30
'Vriday	½	34.3	1.03.2		28.4
Chivalrous	½	41	1.20		39
Powerful King	½	32.2	1.04.2		32
Royal Flush	½	32.2	1.04.2		32
Fudge	½	35	1.07		32
Gay Butterfly	½	29.2	—		29.2
City of Brisbane	½	28	55.2		27.2
Flying Tourist	½	32	1.03.2		31.2
Portia	½	28.4	55.3		26.4
St. Joan	½	28.4	55.3		26.4
Antamok	½	35	1.05.4		30.4
No Fear	½	37	1.08		31
Gladiator	½	33.3	1.04.3		31
Banquet Hall	¼	28.2	—		28.2
Wayward Stag	¼	28.2	—		28.2
Daylight Eve	½	38	1.10.2		32.2
Night Star	½	33.1	1.02.4		29.3
Toishan	¼	34.2	—		34.2
Burgomaster	½	39	1.09.3		30.3
King's Justice	¼	28.4	—		28.4
Brechin	½	40	1.14.2		34.2
Morning Sun	½	35	1.05.2		30.2
The Goose	½	31	57.2		26.2
Sadko	¼	31.4	1.00.4		29
St. Ives	½	35.2	1.06		30.3
Helter Skelter	½	32.3	1.04		31.2
King's Parade	½	32.3	1.04		31.2
Monoplane	½	33.3	1.03.2		29.4
Boxing Eve	¾	40.4	1.05	1.36.2	31.2
Bold Commander	½	35	1.06.4		31.4
Corrie	¼	33.2	—		33.2
Racing Triumph	½	37.3	1.11.1		33.3
Chesterfield	½	40	1.10.4		30.4
Chow Fan	½	35.4	1.06.3		30.4
Just That	½	29.2	56.1		26.4
Lemberg	½	31.2	1.01.2		30
Racing Spirit	½	31.2	1.04		32.3
Shaughraun	½	31.3	1.03		31.1
Colombo	½	31.3	1.03		31.1
Polar Star	½	32	1.02		30
Wakefield	½	34.3	1.05		30.2
Alacrity	½	32.3	58.2		25.4
Kitsap	½	31.4	—		31.4
Utopian	½	31.4	1.03		31.1
Sarabande	½	33.2	1.05		31.3
Zero	½	33	1.02		29
Cossack's Beauty	½	32	1.00		28
Dare Devil	¼	32	—		32

Gordon Richards' Escape

HORSE TURNS A SOMERSAULT

Chester, May 9.

Gordon Richards, the famous jockey, had the narrowest escape of his career from serious accident in the race for the Chester Cup this afternoon.

He was riding the favourite, Mr. J. E. Rowson's Roi de Paris, and when they came to the straight several horses were closely bunched together. Lord Carnarvon's much-fancied filly, Sibell, fell and brought down Barrage.

Roi de Paris was immediately behind the pair. In trying to jump over Sibell, who fell, just in front of him, he turned a complete somersault and Richards was shot off his back as if he had been catapulted. Fortunately he was thrown clear of the rest of the field and, as the ground was soft, he was not injured.

Barrage sprawled over Roi de Paris. His rider, T. Barber, was taken to hospital, but his injuries are not very serious. T. Bartlam, who was on Sibell, was also taken to hospital with cuts and bruises.

The ambulance was signalled for, but Richards was running back to the paddock long before it reached the scene of the accident.

Sibell was so badly injured that she had to be shot.

CONTRACT BRIDGE

Judah And Poliki Win Final Game

The final game in the Contract Bridge Tournament, organised by the Sports Club was played last night.

Messrs. D. Judah and M. T. Poliki defeated Messrs. Danenberg and Ozorio by 5,046 points.

Messrs. M. A. Lo and L. H. Lo defeated Messrs. P. N. Da Silva and H. M. Barros, in the semi-final of the Consolation Tournament.

881 RUNS IN TWO DAYS

SOME SUPERB BATTING

BY AUSTRALIANS

PLAY SURREY AT OWN GAME

London, May 31.

Sparkling batting kept a huge crowd at the Kennington Oval today on the tip-toes of excitement, when the match between Surrey and the Australians was continued.

Surrey contented themselves with adding another 100 odd runs for four further wickets and then declaring, but the Aussies carried on the good work of spoiling bowlers' averages, and at the close were only 69 runs behind with seven wickets in hand.

The Australians scored at a terrific pace. McCabe and Ponsford, who both made big scores, were only a little short of a run a minute, and Bradmann, who followed after the foundation of a big aggregate had been laid, actually hit up 77 in 75 minutes, finding openings in every part of the Surrey field to collect eleven boundaries.

FORTUNE FAVOURS BRAVE.

Andrew Sandham could only add 21 to his overnight score and left after contributing 229 in 371 minutes. His best hits were a six and 21 fours; and throughout his batting was highly attractive and greatly delighted the crowds under the shadow of the Kennington gasometers.

Surrey went to get runs quickly, and at 475 for 7, applied the closure.

The Australians tackled their task very cheerfully. McCabe hit at anything and everything. He gave numerous chances off the fast bowling, but blessed with the good fortune that attends the brave, kept his wicket intact.

Within four and a half hours he had knocked up 185, and was still undefeated. No less than 21 times did he reach the ropes with powerful hooks and drives. It was exhilirating cricket.

Ponsford, who aided and abetted was in his most brilliant mood. He flogged the ball all round the wicket, and with 100 minutes had scored 125. Seventeen boundaries were included in the magnificent innings.

And after Ponsford came Bradman, whose audacious tackling of the bowling earned him 77 runs in 75 minutes, including eleven fours, and at the close, the Australians were 406 for 8.

The scores were cabled by Reuter.

INNINGS WIN FOR YORKSHIRE

Northants In The Doldrums

Northants had the unpleasant experience against Yorkshire of being beaten by an innings and four runs in two days of cricket.

Yorkshire required only to score 257. Northants could do nothing at the wicket. Their first visit realised 153, and their second the bare 100, Verity bowling well during this period to take 4 for 25.

Partridge also did some useful [illegible] for Northants, capturing 5 for 99, but the Tykes were immeasurably superior, and won at ease.

LAWN BOWLS PROGRAMME FOR SATURDAY

BOWLING GREEN MEET C.C.C. "B"

POLICE OPPOSE INDIAN R.C.

Among the more interesting encounters to-morrow in the lawn bowls league are those between the Kowloon Bowling Green and Craigengower "B" in the senior division and the Police and Indian Recreation Club in the junior section.

The programme for to-morrow afternoon is as follows:

SENIOR DIVISION.

Civil Service	v	Taikoo R. C.
Kowloon B. G. C.	v	Craigengower "B"
Police R. C.	v	Kowloon Docks
Club de Recreio	v	Kowloon C. C.

JUNIOR DIVISION.

Hongkong Electric	v	Civil Service
Yacht Club	v	Kowloon B. G. C.
Indian R. C.	v	Police R. C.
Kowloon C. C.	v	Club de Recreio
Football Club	v	Craigengower C. C.

Teams which have been selected for to-morrow's games are appended:

SENIOR DIVISION.

Kowloon B.G.C. v. Craigengower "B."

P. T. Farrell	M. J. Mellon
J. S. Logan	G. Duncan
R. Hall	E. Tuck
W. S. Drake (skip)	J. Cavanagh (skip)
R. Duncan	A. E. Marchent
S. Handle	H. Milton
V. Petherick	W. Gill
W. Macfarlane (skip)	C. L. Summons (skip)
J. Watson	F. K. Meell
A. S. Russell	L. C. R. Souza
J. K. Budding	W. T. Brightman
L. Guy (skip)	C. S. Rossclet (skip)

Police R.C. v. Kowloon Docks.

F. E. E. Booker	A. M. Calman
T. Tallon	T. Coleman
C. S. Fender	J. Rempton
W. Mair (skip)	J. McKelvie (skip)
E. G. Post	G. N. Mitchell
T. Perkins	M. Ferguson
Nolan	R. C. Craig
W. E. Hollands (skip)	J. C. Brown (skip)
A. R. Clark	V. Host
R. Ellis	J. Revie
J. Shepherd	J. A. Liddiard
G. C. Moss (skip)	W. Greig (skip)

Club de Recreio v. Kowloon C.C.

L. J. Silva	H. Hampton
L. P. Xavier	J. A. Howe
F. V. Ribeiro	C. E. Elliot-Heywood
A. H. Basto (skip)	A. E. Silkstone (skip)
L. A. Guterres	J. W. M. Brown
J. O. Osorio	W. Hyde
C. E. Marques	E. C. Fincher
F. X. Silva (skip)	R. P. Phillips (skip)
J. L. Noronha	H. Gittins
G. R. Basto	L. E. Lammert
H. A. Alves	C. J. Tacchi
C. G. Silva (skip)	J. Fraser (skip)

JUNIOR DIVISION.

Hongkong Electric v. Civil Service.

J. K. Sloan	
R. Butler	
G. T. Padgett	
A. F. Paul (skip)	
J. G. Haigh	
A. McKellar	
S. Deacon	
W. H. B. Muskett (skip)	
R. Hatch	
F. F. Duckworth	
J. F. Lunny	
L. de Rome (skip)	

Yacht Club v. Kowloon B.G.C.

	H. P. Stoneham
	C. B. Hosking
	W. E. Hale
	H. H. Rose (skip)
G. J. Chambers	
J. Macdonald	
M. J. Henderson	
J. G. Meyer (skip)	
A. Wright	E. V. M. R. Souza
V. C. Labrum	H. M. Britto
J. S. Dinnen	Dr. R. A. Basto
J. M. Jack (skip)	E. M. Remedios (skip)

Indian R.C. v. Police R.C.

D. M. Khan	J. S. Riddell
M. I. Razack	C. Bowman
A. M. Omar	W. Forrest
A. M. Wahab (skip)	W. Glendening (skip)
A. B. Rumjahn	A. E. Carey
S. O. Bux	J. R. McWalter
A. R. Mirza	L. Glendening (Jr.)
K. M. Omar (skip)	W. McLeod (skip)
S. M. Rumjahn	G. S. Alexander
A. H. Madar	S. Farlow
M. Y. Adel	W. S. Dall
A. B. Dallah (skip)	W. McHardy (skip)

Kowloon C.C. v. Club de Recreio.

M. N. Rahueen	C. Rosa Pereira
W. Mulcahy	F. A. Xavier
T. W. Carr	A. V. Barros
E. Kain (skip)	C. A. Lopes (skip)
L. Jack	J. M. S. Rosario
W. W. Hirst	A. A. Remedios
H. Overy	F. X. Soares
T. Ferguson (skip)	J. J. Basto (skip)

Football Club v. Craigengower C.C.

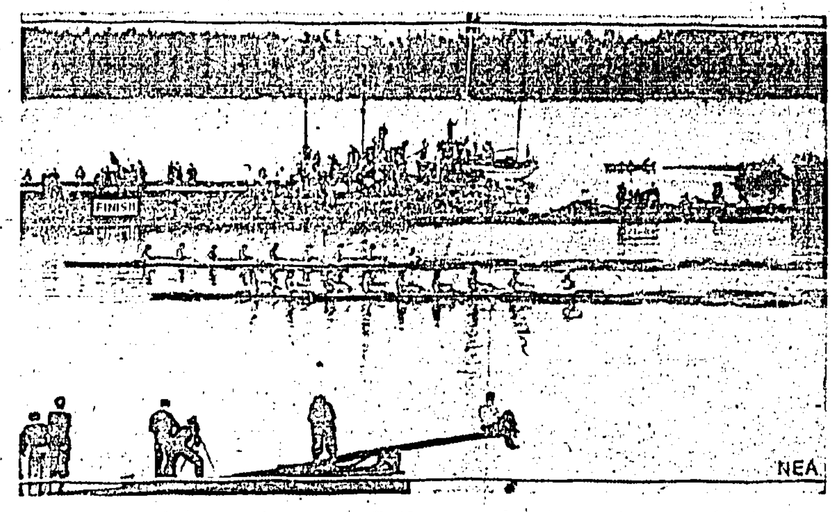
	S. Abbas
	J. van der Lely
	E. C. Barry
	V. S. Attenza (skip)
D. K. Kharas	
F. Bagley	
W. English	
A. S. Gomes (skip)	
R. W. Randall	
W. J. Howard	
Y. Abbas	
W. K. Way (skip)	

POLICE R.C. GAME

Married Members To Play Single

On Monday afternoon the Police R. C. are holding an intra-Club match between Married Members and Singles Members. The match will commence at 3 p.m. and the teams will be selected on the green.

CLOSE FINISH GIVES WASHINGTON CREW SUPREMACY



Here's how the rowing classic of the Pacific coast ended when varsity crews of University of California and University of Washington met on Lake Washington, Seattle. The Huskies led the southerners a quarter-length at the finish line after a hard-fought three-mile race with no open water between the shells.

Von Cramm To Meet Jack Crawford

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fourth set at the ninth game, but the German's powerful ground strokes and volleying proved the deciding factor, and he ran out a comparatively easy winner in the final set.

Miss Margaret Scriven's straight sets win against Fraulein Aussem was one of the big achievements of the championship meeting. Driving in her best form, and keeping the German girl on the run, Miss Scriven produced an array of dazzling shots to which her opponent had no adequate reply.

In the mixed doubles, another British pair in G. P. Hughes and Miss Betty Nuthall went under to a French combination in Jean Borotra and Mue. Rosambert, 7-5, 6-2.

It was a game with no quarter. The French pair won the first set quite easily, but thereafter there was a thrilling duel. Hughes and Miss Nuthall fought back to win the second set at the fourteenth game, and the third set, which finally ended in favour of the French combination, was of the same duration.

Reuter cabled the following details:

MEN'S SINGLES.

Semi-finals

J. Crawford (Australia) beat C. Boussus (France) 6-3, 2-6, 7-5, 6-4.

G. Von Cramm (Germany) beat Baron de Stefani (Italy) 3-6, 6-4, 6-1, 3-6, 6-2.

LADIES SINGLES.

Semi-finals

Miss Margaret Scriven (England) beat Fr. Aussem (German) 7-5, 6-3.

Miss Helen Jacobs (America) beat Mdme. Mathieu (France) 6-2, 6-2.

MIXED DOUBLES.

J. Borotra and Mlle. Rosambert (France) beat G. P. Hughes and Miss B. Nuthall (England) 6-2, 6-8, 8-6.

YESTERDAY'S "B" DIV: LEAGUE TENNIS

C.R.C. AND RECREIO REMAIN UNBEATEN

I.R.C. DRAW SECOND MATCH

Only two teams in the "B" Division of the lawn tennis league now remain with the maximum number of points from matches played, although the Indian Recreation Club, by virtue of their two drawn games, have yet to suffer defeat.

Yesterday the Chinese Recreation Club and Club de Recreio enjoyed further wins, the C.R.C. proving much too powerful for South China, who could only snatch half a set in nine.

At the K.C.C., the Recreio won with a margin of three sets in hand, but the decision might easily have gone the other way. Oppenheim and Gray were distinctly unlucky not to win against Remedios and Reed, and it was touch and go in the other two sets. In all three sets they went to the full twelve games, two of them being halved and the other lost at 7-5.

Burnett and Lewis again performed well for the losers, winning two sets. Curiously enough they lost to the Recreio third pair.

The Recreio better balanced, deserved their win.

The Indian Recreation Club nearly came a cropper against the Hongkong Cricket Club, while the Graduates suffered their second reverse, this time at the hands of the University, who managed to win the odd set.

Detailed scores and league table follow.

LEAGUE TABLE.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
C.R.C.	2	2	0	0	16½	1½	4
Recreio	2	2	0	0	12½	5½	4
I.R.C.	2	0	2	0	9	9	2
University	2	1	0	1	9	9	2
K.C.C.	2	1	0	1	8	10	2
H.K.C.C.	2	0	1	1	7	11	1
S.C.A.A.	2	0	1	1	5	13	1
Graduates	2	0	0	2	5	13	0

KOWLOON C.C. v. RECREIO.

Visiting the Kowloon C.C., the Club de Recreio won by six sets to three Scores:

G. C. Burnett and R. B. Lewis (K.C.C.) bent J. J. Remedios and J. L. Xavier 6-3; beat A. A. Remedios and W. A. Reed 6-4; lost to H. A. Ribeiro and A. M. Silva 3-6.

L. A. Oppenheim and S. A. Gray (K.C.C.) lost to Remedios and Xavier 5-7; drew with Remedios and Reed 6-6; drew with Ribeiro and Silva 6-6.

C. I. Stapleton and D. S. Green (K.C.C.) lost to Remedios and Xavier 2-6; lost to Remedios and Reed 2-6; lost to Ribeiro and Silva 4-6.

SOUTH CHINA v. CHINESE R.C.

Playing at home, the South China A.A. managed to get only half a set from the Chinese R.C. Scores:

F. N. Wong and K. F. Liu (S.C. A.A.) lost to L. F. Hon and P. K. Lau 4-6; lost to M. K. Lau and P. F. Choy 4-6; drew with Y. W. Li and C. Y. Tso 6-6.

Y. F. Chow and H. Ung (S.C.A.A.) lost to Hon and Lau 0-6; lost to Lau and Choy 1-6; lost to Li and Tso 3-6.

H. Chung and T. K. Leong (S.C. A.A.) lost to Hon and Lau 3-6; lost to Lau and Choy 3-6; lost to Li and Tso 1-6.

INDIAN R.C. v. H.K.C.C.

At Sookunpoo, the Indian R.C. shared the points with the Hongkong C.C., each side scoring 4½ sets. Scores:

A. K. Suffad and S. A. Ismail (I.R.C.) drew with Traill and Dunham 6-6; beat Sewell and Gamble 6-2; beat Pearce and Bathurst 6-3.

A. M. Rumjahn and A. K. Ismail (I.R.C.) lost to Traill and Dunham 3-6; lost to Sewell and Gamble 2-6; lost to Pearce and Bathurst 1-6.

M. O. Hoosen and F. D. Pereira (I.R.C.) beat Traill and Dunham 6-4; beat Sewell and Gamble 7-5; lost to Pearce and Bathurst 2-6.

UNIVERSITY v. GRADUATES.

The University scored a narrow victory over the Graduates' Association at Pokfulam by five sets to four. Scores:

H. L. Lee and C. C. Lee (University) beat H. N. Chung and Y. L. Pao 6-4; lost to L. Tsai and F. Y. Khoo 4-6; lost to Dr. D. K. Samy and Dr. S. A. M. Sepher 4-6.

K. M. Lo and K. T. Lo (University) beat Chung and Pao 6-3; lost to Tsai and Khoo 4-6; beat Samy and Sepher 6-2.

P. P. Khoo and Y. K. Ng (University) beat Chung and Pao 6-3; lost to Tsai and Khoo 5-7; beat Samy and Sepher 6-4.

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The First Bell will be Rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at $5.00 for Gentlemen and $3.00 for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, &c.

The Secretary's office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794), will close at 12 o'clock Noon.

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On No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

Tiffins are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Boy in advance. Telephone 21920.

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The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is $1.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price.

Bookmakers, Tic Tac Men, &c., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 28th May, 1934.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Sixth Extra Race Meeting.

Admission to the Public Enclosure on **2nd June, 1934,** has been reduced to One Dollar for all persons including ladies. Soldiers and Sailors in uniform admitted at half price.

By Order,

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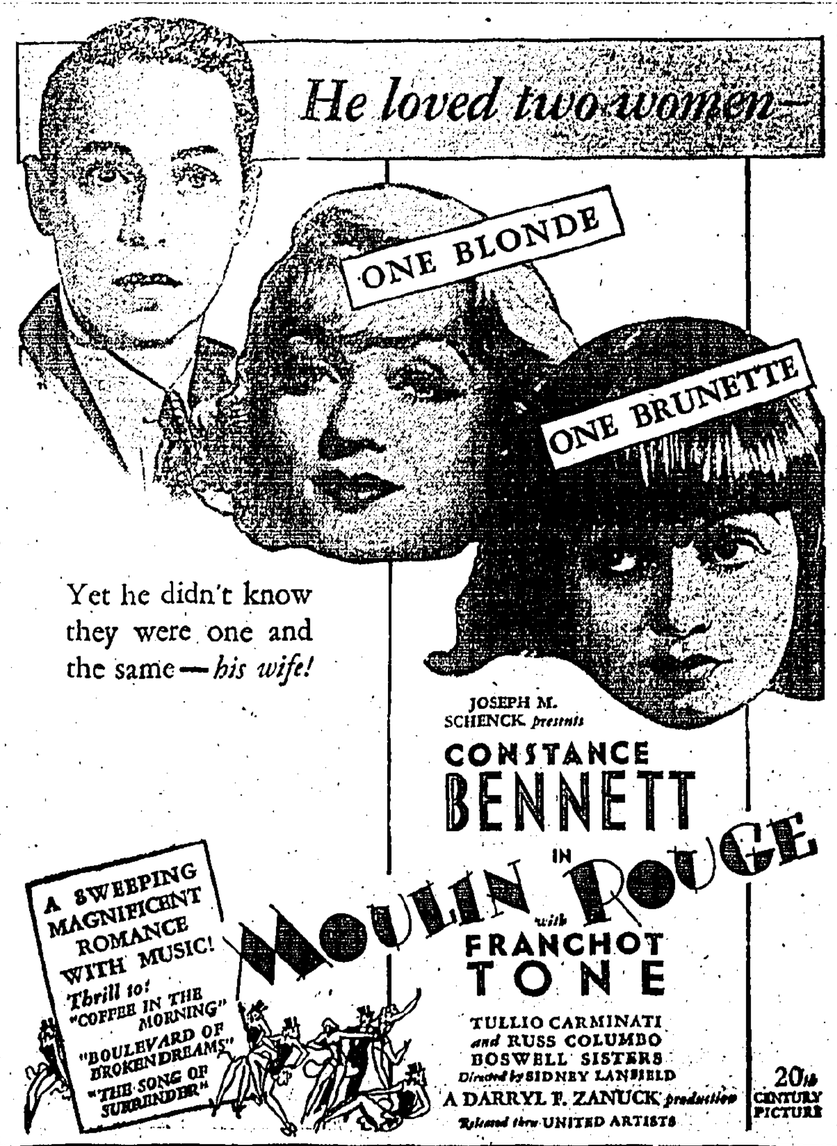

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Oslo	19.90½	19.90½
Athens	530	530
Milan	59⅝	59⅝
Buenos Aires	36½	36½
Shanghai	1/3½	1/3½
New York	5.08¾	5.06⅝
Amsterdam	7.50	7.49
Vienna	28	27½
Prague	122½	122⅛
Bucharest	510	505
Madrid	37⅛	37⅛
Hongkong	1/5.3/16	1/5¼
Brussels	21.74½	21.71
Stockholm	19.40	19.40
Copenhagen	22.39½	22.39½
Lisbon	110	110
Bombay	1/6.1/32	1/6.1/32
Rio	4½	4½
Yokohama	1/2¼	1/2.9/32
Montevideo	38⅝	38⅝
Belgrade	223	223
Montreal	5.06¼	5.05
Silver (spot)	19.9/16	19.9/16
Silver (forward)	19⅝	19⅝
War Loan	102¼	102.1/16

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CONCERT ARRANGED FOR TO-MORROW

The Y.W.C.A. International Service Centre is putting on what promises to be a very attractive concert of an international character to-morrow at St. Stephen's Girls' College, Lyttelton Road, at 8.15 p.m.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S MARKET EASY

According to Messrs. Swan Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was easy yesterday. Business done 440,000 shares. The *Wall Street Journal* reports:—Despite soaring wheat prices the stock market was generally downward with U.S. Steel touching its low for the year due to strike threats and the drought regarded as a most serious business deterrent. Silver issues were extremely dull despite passage by the House of the Silver Bill. Curb issues were fractionally downward. While bonds were generally erratic they were featured by the strength of United States Governments. Wheat soared the five-cent limit smashing through the dollar level for the first time since June 1933. The drought continues with little relief in sight.

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz's New York office report:—Stocks worked moderately lower in a continued dull market with public interest at a low ebb. Wheat: With the drought unrelieved heavy buying caused a sharp advance. Crop losses are mounting daily. Cotton: A strike of three hundred thousand textile workers has been called for Monday. Some doubt its success. The market shows remarkable resistance to bearish factors but is influenced partly by the strength of wheat. Contracts are scarce. Rubber: Higher on firmness of primary markets and Dutch five cent export tax effective June first. Buyers show more confidence. Sugar: Quiet and steady. Selling pressure is negligible. Raw sugar buyers apparently still interested at 2.75 offerings 2.80. Silver: Stagnant.

Dow-Jones N.Y. Averages

	May 29	May 31
30 Industrials	95.32	94.00
20 Rails	43.51	42.70
20 Utilities	23.38	22.86
40 Bonds	94.17	94.07
11-Commodity Index	56.04	57.31

The following market closing prices are quoted subject to confirmation as to accuracy in transmission.

	May 29	May 31
Adams Express	8	7¼
Alaska Juneau Gold Mining Company	19⅝	19½
Allied Chemical and Dye	134	133
American Can	94⅞	93⅞
American & Foreign Power	8⅛	8
American Metal	23¼	Unq.
American Smelting	39	38⅜
American Tel. and Tel.	114½	114
American Tobacco "B"	71¼	70½
American Waterworks	Unq.	19⅛
Anaconda Copper	14⅜	13¾
Atlas Corporation	11⅝	10⅞
Auburn Automobile	35¼	34⅛
Baltimore and Ohio	23⅝	22⅝
Bethlehem Steel	33½	31⅞
Borden Company	24⅝	24⅝
Borg Warner	22⅝	22¼
Canadian Pacific Railway	15⅝	15⅝
Case, J.I.	52½	50⅞
Chase National Bank (bid price)	27½	27½
Chesapeake Corporation	43½	44
Chrysler Corporation	40⅝	39¼
Columbia Gas and Electric	13	12½
Commonwealth and Southern	2⅛	2¼
Consolidated Gas of New York	32⅝	32
Consol. Oil Corp.	10⅝	10¼
Continental Oil	[illegible]	19⅝
Coty Inc.	5⅝	5⅝
Curtiss Wright Com.	3⅝	3¼
Curtiss Wright "A"	10⅝	10⅜
Du Pont de Nemours	85½	84⅝
Eastman Kodak	96¾	Unq.
Electric Bond and Share	14⅝	14
Electric Power and Light	5⅞	5½
Fox Film "A"	14⅝	14
General Aviation	4½	Unq.
General Electric	20¼	19⅞
General Foods	32½	22¾
General Motors	32⅝	31⅝
General Railway Signal	33	32½
Gold Dust	19½	19
Goodyear Tire and Rubber	28⅝	27¼
International Cement	24	22⅝
International Harvester	33	32⅛
International Nickel	26½	25⅞
International Tel. & Tel.	12⅝	12
Johns Manville	48⅝	48½
Kennecott Copper	19⅝	18⅝
Lehman Corporation	Unq.	60⅝
Liggett and Myers "B"	95	Unq.
Loew's Inc.	31⅞	31⅞
Lorillard P. (Com.)	17½	17⅜
Montgomery Ward	26	24⅞
National City Bank (bid price)	27¼	26⅝
National Distillers	25⅝	25⅛
New York Central	28⅝	28
North American Co.	17¼	16⅞
Owens-Illinois Glass	74	74
Pacific Gas & Electric	17	17⅛
Packard Motors	4	4
Pennsylvania Railroad	30⅛	29⅝
Pennroad Corporation	2⅝	2⅞
Phillips Petroleum	19⅛	18⅝
Radio Corporation	7½	7⅛
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	43⅞	43½
Sears Roebuck	42⅝	41¼
Socony-Vacuum Corporation	15⅝	16⅛
Southern California Edison	16⅝	16⅝
Standard Gas and Electric	10⅛	10
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	43	42⅞
Sterling Products Inc.	58⅝	58⅝
Studebaker Corporation	5	4⅞
Texas Corporation	24½	23⅝
Transamerica	6⅛	6⅛
Union Carbide and Carbon	40½	39⅝
Union Pacific Railway	123½	122
United Aircraft and Trans.	21⅞	20⅞
United Corporation	5⅛	5⅛
United Gas Improvement	15⅝	15⅝
U.S. Rubber	18⅝	18½
U.S. Steel	41¼	39
Universal Leaf Tobacco	46¼	Unq.
Vanadium	20¼	19
Warner Bros. Pictures	5⅛	5⅝
Westinghouse E. and M.	34½	34¼
Woolworth	50¼	49¼

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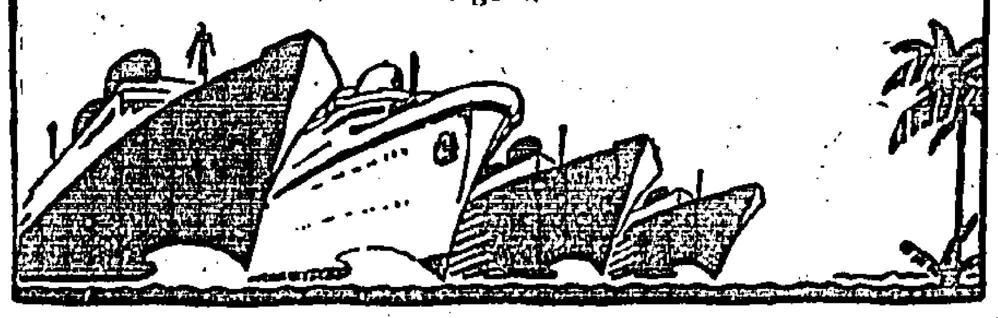

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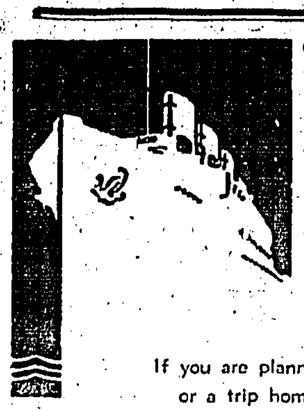

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Solution to Previous Contract Problem.

New decks often produce weird results. One sometimes wonders how so many cards of one suit can get into a hand even though it is a new deck, because new decks usually come with each suit sorted.

South had a choice between a two and a three bid. A two bid asks your partner's assistance in selecting the proper declaration, while a three bid says, "Partner, the suit I first name is the suit at which the contract must be played. If I name another suit, I am simply asking for a king."

South finally decided that he did not wish to play the hand at diamonds, even though his partner might hold some of that suit—that he would prefer to try the hand at spades with the 150 honours, and with the five swings he could probably pick up any outstanding trump.

The diamond fit would only help him make his contract.

Over three spades, North should show his highest ace, and therefore bid four hearts. East doubles as a lead-director. He knows that the contract is not going to be played at hearts. However, it might be a good thing to tell his partner to lead a heart.

East might have tried his luck at five hearts, but against a three bid he could suffer a severe loss in rubber play, so he preferred to double.

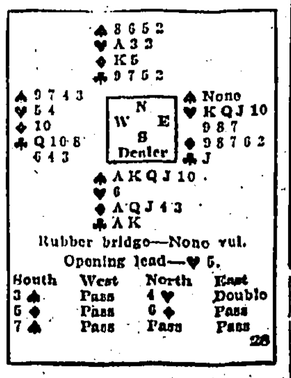
South's bid of five diamonds was made not because he had diamonds, but because he wanted to find out if his partner held the king of diamonds.

If not, he would simply bid five spades, but, holding the king of diamonds, he bid six diamonds. This apparently took care of all the losing cards for South, so he bid seven spades.

The Play

If West had opened the ten of diamonds, the contract could have been defeated, but due to the fact that his partner had doubled hearts, he led the five of hearts, which the declarer won in dummy with the ace. The three and deuce of hearts being in dummy, West was marked with not more than one heart—the four.

The declarer could see that the hand was a freak, and now decided to take West's only heart from him in case he might have



Rubber bridge—None vul.
Opening lead—♥ 5.

South	West	North	East
3 ♠	Pass	4 ♥	Double
5 ♦	Pass	6 ♦	Pass
7 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

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to play the hand for a squeeze. So he led the three of hearts and trumped with the ten of spades, West playing the four.

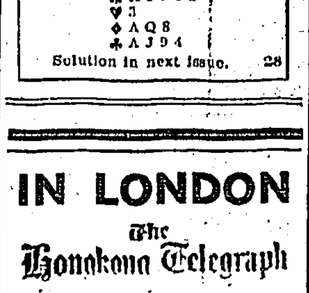
Declarer now laid down the ace, king, queen, and jack of spades, which picked up all the outstanding trump. East discarded the nine, ten, jack, and queen of hearts.

Declarer next led the ace and king of clubs. East played the jack of clubs, but on the next lead he was squeezed. He had to let go a diamond. If he let go the king of hearts, the duce in dummy would be good.

Declarer then played a small diamond to the king and came back to his own hand with a diamond, cashing the ace, queen, jack, and four of diamonds to make his contract.

Today's Contract Problem

West has the contract at three no trump. South has bid spades and North opens a spade. The declarer attempts to establish clubs. North echoes in hearts and gets a heart return from South. When South wins with the queen of diamonds, he fails to cash his ace. Now can you see how a triple squeeze will make the contract for declarer?



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He is required to leave the country within twenty-four hours.

It is stated that he is being expelled on account of "the irresponsible and misleading manner with which he has continually reported upon German affairs."

It would seem, however, that there is not a little connection between the arbitrary action of the Nazis and the recent incident at Aken, near Dessau, when he was arrested for prying into certain proceedings in a wood that attracted his attentions.

There seems to be a suggestion by the police that Mr. Pembroke-Stevens was taking photographs, but this he emphatically denies.

According to early reports of the affairs, it occurred in the evening when photography would have been impossible. The journalist's attention was attracted by arc lights in a wood and it was when his curiosity led him to investigate that he was arrested.—*Reuter.*

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Cairo, June 1.

The danger of a renewal of war between Ibn Saud and the Imam of Yemen, which could have only resulted in the complete overrunning of the Imam's territory and possible complete dispossession, is believed to have passed.

The Iman of Yemen has thought better of his inclination towards further challenge.

There is great rejoicing in the Saudi country in Arabia following the sudden change in attitude of the Imam and the start that he has made towards carrying out Ibn Saud's peace conditions, according to reports from Taif.

CROWN PRINCE'S THREAT.

It is reported from Sanaa, in Yemen territory, that the Crown Prince has abandoned his opposition to his father. It may be recalled that he threatened to dethrone his father if he signed an "ignominious peace."

The agreement now within reach of conclusion is for the Imam to utilise Hodeida for the Yemen trade and to pay tolls to Ibn Saud.—*Reuter Special.*

803 RUNS FOR 4 WICKETS

KENT PUT UP HUGE SCORE

ASHDOWN, 333

London, May 31.

Kent were able to declare in their first innings against Essex at Brentwood to-day, with a fair degree of confidence that their total would not be overtaken.

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This is the highest total reached in an English county match since 1899, when Surrey hit up 811 against Somerset. On that occasion, however, Surrey were all out. In 1896, Yorkshire made 887 all out at Edgbaston.

Kent's total is the highest on record for four wickets.

Chief scorers Ashdown and Ames.

Ashdown scored 333, the highest of his career Ames had 202 not out when the closure was applied.

Exceptionally high scores were made in other matches. Surrey declared against the Australians with 475 for 7. The Australians replied with 406 for 3.

Ernest Tyldesley completed a double century, compiling 239 against Glamorgan at Cardiff, Lancashire declaring at 514 for 7.—*British Wireless.*

MIKADO'S THANKS

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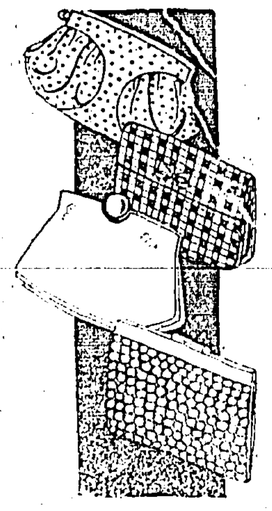

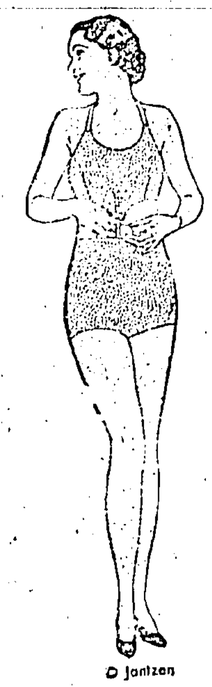

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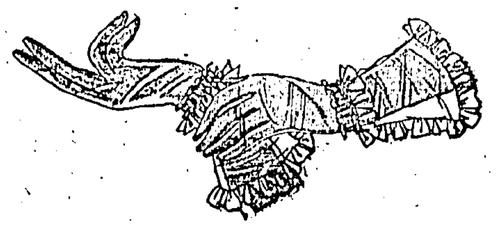

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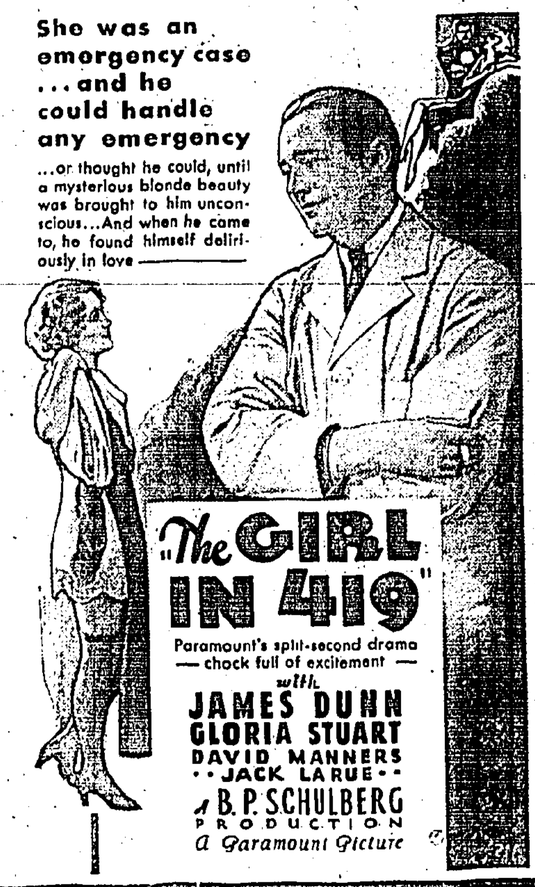

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MOVEMENTS OF WORLD CURRENCY

London, May 31.

A migration of British speculative capital to Wall Street is afoot, the reason being that speculative investors are seeking to steal a march on the Stock Exchange Control Bill, the marginal requirements of which do not affect commitments outstanding prior to the promulgation of the Bill, until two years have elapsed.

This factor combined with the increased British purchases of American raw materials, the covering of purchases of dollars by British importers, the repatriation of American funds and the strength of wheat due to its present shortage, are all tending to weaken sterling in terms of dollars.

The weakness has been evident especially since fears of United States currency inflation have been removed and it is now being realised that the budget deficit will be considerably smaller that expected.

At the same time, since the return of confidence in the franc, withdrawals of French funds from London continue and it is now reported that the funds have reached a level which can no longer safely be reduced.

The combination of these factors has caused considerable pressure on sterling, which the Exchange Equalisation Fund is endeavouring to relieve by heavy sales of francs.—*Reuter.*

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